

**SENATE . . . . . No. 196**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Diana DiZoglio***

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to continue expanded take-out/delivery options in response to COVID-19.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Diana DiZoglio*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*First Essex*

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By Ms. DiZoglio, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 196) of Diana DiZoglio for legislation to continue expanded take-out/delivery options in response to COVID-19. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**

An Act to continue expanded take-out/delivery options in response to COVID-19.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to support the post-pandemic economic recovery of local establishments licensed to sell alcoholic beverages, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           SECTION 1. Section 13 of chapter 53 of the acts of 2020, as amended by section 1 of  
2 chapter 118 of said acts of 2020, is hereby amended by striking out the words “during the  
3 governor’s March 10, 2020 declaration of a state of emergency or until February 28, 2021,  
4 whichever is later” and inserting in place thereof the following:- “until the date which is 2 years  
5 after the date of termination or rescission of the governor’s March 10, 2020 declaration of a state  
6 of emergency”.

7           SECTION 2. Section 2 of said chapter 118 of said acts of 2020 is hereby amended by  
8 striking out the words “during the March 10, 2020 state of emergency or until February 28, 2021,  
9 whichever is later” and inserting in place thereof the following:- “until the date which is 2 years

10 after the date of termination or rescission of the governor's March 10, 2020 declaration of a state  
11 of emergency".