

**SENATE . . . . . No. 432**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Donald F. Humason, Jr.***

*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 Relative to the Use of Shotguns for Hunting.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Donald F. Humason, Jr.*

*Todd M. Smola*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Second Hampden and Hampshire*

*1st Hampden*

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By Mr. Humason, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 432) of Donald F. Humason, Jr. and Todd M. Smola for legislation relative to the use of shotguns for hunting. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act Relative to the Use of Shotguns for Hunting.

*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 66 of Chapter 131 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010 Official Edition,  
2 is hereby amended by striking the section in its entirety and replacing it with the following;

3 Section 66: The director, with the approval of the fisheries and wildlife board, may  
4 promulgate rules and regulations for the use and possession of shotgun cartridges containing  
5 projectiles including, but not restricted to, slugs, balls, or shot of any type or size, for the purpose  
6 of hunting.