SENATE No. 477

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

James E. Timilty

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 timely disposal of contraband drugs.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:James E. TimiltyBristol and Norfolk

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By Mr. Timilty, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 477) of James E. Timilty for legislation relative to the timely disposal of contraband drugs. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act relative to the timely disposal of contraband drugs.

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

- 1 Notwithstanding any general or special law or rule or regulation to the contrary, the
- 2 department of environmental protection shall develop and implement a program to ensure that
- 3 municipal police departments without a permit to operate a mobile drug incinerator under 310
- 4 CMR 7.02 are able to dispose of waste medications and contraband drugs in a timely manner and
- 5 the department shall assist municipal police departments in doing so.