The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Bruce E. Tarr

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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act to criminalize the attempted production of Class B drugs..

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Bruce E. Tarr	First Essex and Middlesex
Michael R. Knapik	Second Hampden and Hampshire
Robert L. Hedlund	Plymouth and Norfolk
Richard J. Ross	Norfolk, Bristol, and Middlesex
Ann-Margaret Ferrante	5th Essex

SENATE No. 00882

By Mr. Tarr, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 882) of Ferrante, Ross, Hedlund and other members of the General Court for legislation to criminalize the attempted production of class B drugs [Joint Committee on the Judiciary].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE , NO. 1811 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act to criminalize the attempted production of Class B 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 SECTION 1. Section 32A of Chapter 94C of the General Laws is hereby amended by 2 inserting at the end of the first paragraph the following: "; provided, that possession with intent 3 to manufacture shall include possession of the constituent ingredients; provided further, that 4 simple possession of the constituent ingredients shall constitute neither proof nor presumption of 5 intent to manufacture."