

HOUSE No. 3679

By Mr. Doran of Lexington, petition of Stephen W. Doran relative to the sale of containers connected by plastic ring devices and other non-biodegradable material. Energy.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CONTAINERS CONNECTED BY PLASTIC RING DEVICES
AND OTHER NON-BIODEGRADABLE MATERIAL.

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

- 1 Chapter 94 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1986
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out section 324
- 3 and inserting in place thereof the following section: —
- 4 Section 324. No dealer shall sell or offer for sale in the
- 5 commonwealth metal containers connected to each other by a
- 6 separate holding device constructed of plastic rings or other
- 7 material which will not decompose by photobiodegradation,
- 8 chemical degradation, or biodegradation within one hundred
- 9 twenty days of disposal.

