

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2894

By Mrs. Gray of Framingham, petition of Barbara E. Gray, Christopher J. Hodgkins and Salvatore F. DiMasi for legislation to prohibit computerized telephone solicitations. Commerce and Labor.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Five.

### AN ACT OUTLAWING COMPUTERIZED TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS.

*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 14A of Chapter 269 of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph: —

3 Whoever telephones another person, or causes any person to be  
4 telephoned to, by means of a computerized telephone solicitation  
5 machine or mechanism of any type, for the sole or primary purpose  
6 of soliciting a product or service from or for said person, regardless  
7 of profit or nonprofit, shall be punished by a fine of not more than  
8 five hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than three  
9 months, or both.

