

HOUSE No. 4586

By Mr. Stoddart of Natick, petition of Douglas W. Stoddart relative to the penalty for selling tobacco products in the Commonwealth. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SALE OF CERTAIN TOBACCO PRODUCTS.

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 270 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding
2 at the end thereof the following section:—

3 Section 23. No tobacco product may be offered for sale in the
4 commonwealth which contains nicotine. A violation of this sec-
5 tion shall be punished by a fine of two hundred and fifty dollars
6 for the first offense and a fine of five hundred dollars for each
7 subsequent offense.

