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By Mr. Caron of Springfield, petition of Paul E. Caron relative to the resubmission of absentee ballots returned due to improper postage. Election Laws.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and One.

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### AN ACT RELATIVE TO ABSENTEE BALLOTS.

*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, rule or regulation
- 2 to the contrary, any individual registered to vote in the common-
- 3 wealth, who properly fills out and submits an absentee ballot
- 4 during an election cycle, and has that ballot returned due to
- 5 improper postage, shall be allowed to resubmit their returned
- 6 ballot to the office of the elections official in the city or town
- 7 where they are registered and have that ballot certified by said
- 8 election official.

