

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1383**

By Mr. Frost of Auburn, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1383) of Paul K. Frost for legislation to prohibit convicted sex offenders from residing within 500 feet of school zones. The Judiciary.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Paul K. Frost**

*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 regulate housing for convicted sex offenders.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Paul K. Frost

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

7th Worcester

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1442 OF 2007-2008.]

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

### AN ACT TO REGULATE HOUSING FOR CONVICTED SEX OFFENDERS.

*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 178F.5 of Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting, after the last sentence of  
2 the first paragraph, the following paragraph:--

3           A sex offender finally classified as a Level 2 or Level 3 offender shall also be restricted from residing within 500  
4 feet of school zones located within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.