

HOUSE No. 4892

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 20, 2006.

The committee on Community Development and Small Business, to whom was recommitted the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3669) of James R. Miceli relative to expiration date labeling of certain food product packages, reports recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 4892) ought to pass.

For the committee,

DAVID M. TORRISI.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Six.

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE SALE OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

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 1. Chapter 94 of the General Laws, as appearing in
2 the 2000 edition is hereby amended by inserting after section 99B
3 the following section:—

4 Section 99C. No person shall sell or offer for sale or distribu-
5 tion in the commonwealth fruit or vegetables unless a conspicuous
6 sign is displayed with the fruits and vegetables indicating the
7 name of the country in which such fruit or vegetables were grown.

1 SECTION 2. No requirements of this Act shall apply to farm
2 stands and roadside stands.