SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Diana DiZoglio

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to reduce exposure to BPA.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
Diana DiZoglio	First Essex	
Mathew J. Muratore	1st Plymouth	1/30/2019
Viriato M. deMacedo	Plymouth and Barnstable	1/31/2019

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 1249 OF 2017-2018.]

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court (2019-2020)

An Act to reduce exposure to BPA.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Chapter 111 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the
- 2 following section:-
- 3 Section 233. (a) For the purposes of this section, the following words shall have the
- 4 following meanings unless the context clearly requires otherwise:
- 5 "BPA", the chemical bisphenol A.
- 6 "Person", a natural person, individual, business, corporation, unincorporated association,
- 7 firm, partnership, joint venture or other organization, entity or group of individuals.
- 8 (b) No person shall use thermal paper containing BPA as a receipt of purchase for any
- 9 sale.

- 10 (c) The commissioner of public health shall promulgate rules and regulations as the
- 11 commissioner considers necessary to implement this section.
- SECTION 2. Section 1 shall take effect one year immediately subsequent to passage.