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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

F. Jay Barrows

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:

An act relative to children in protective custody.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
F. Jay Barrows	*1st Bristol*
Olivier Kozlowski	*6 Park Row* *Mansfield, MA* *02048*

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By Mr. Barrows of Mansfield, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1196) of F. Jay Barrows and Olivier Kozlowski for legislation to allow police to place intoxicated minors into protective custody. The Judiciary.

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An act relative to children in protective custody.

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. Section 39H of chapter 119 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by chapter 240 of the acts of 2011, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:-

Nothing in this section shall prevent a police officer from placing a minor into protective custody under the provisions of section 8 of chapter 111B.