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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cleon H. Turner

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 exempting towns from certain fees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Cleon H. Turner	*1st Barnstable*
Thomas M. Menino (mayor of Boston)	*Boston City Hall* *One City Hall Square* *Boston, MA 02201*
Martin J. Walsh	*13th Suffolk*
Carlo Basile	*1st Suffolk*
Kevin J. Kuros	*8th Worcester*
Denise Provost	*27th Middlesex*
Timothy R. Madden	*Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket*
Randy Hunt	*5th Barnstable*
Stephen L. DiNatale	*3rd Worcester*
Denise Andrews	*2nd Franklin*
Eileen M. Donoghue	*First Middlesex*
David M. Nangle	*17th Middlesex*
Kevin J. Murphy	*18th Middlesex*
Theodore C. Speliotis	*13th Essex*

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By Mr. Turner of Dennis, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 822) of Cleon H. Turner and others relative to exempting cities and towns from fees from the Massachusetts Oil and Hazardous Material Release Prevention and Response Act. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE
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, NO. *269* OF 2011-2012.]

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An Act exempting towns from certain fees.

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 3B of chapter 21E of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended, in line 30, by inserting after the word "excluding", the following words:-

"counties, cities, towns and"

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the fees owed by counties, cities, and towns prior to this act shall be waived.