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Bill H.1039

An Act establishing casinos in Massachusetts.

By Mr. Koczera of New Bedford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1039) of Robert M. Koczera and Marc R. Pacheco relative to authorizing the legalization of casinos and establishing a casino gaming commission. Economic Development and Emerging Technologies.

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The General Laws are hereby further amended by Inserting after chapter 128C the following chapter: Chapter 128D. Establishing Casinos in Massachusetts.

SECTION 1. General Provisions.

(a) This chapter shall be known and may be cited as "Casinos in Massachusetts Act"

(b) No applicant for a gaming license, or a manufacturer's or distributor's license or other affirmative commission approval has any right to a license or the granting of the approval sought. Any license issued or other commission approval granted pursuant to the provisions of this act is a revocable privilege, and no holder acquire any vested right therein or there under.

(c) Nothing in this chapter shall preclude any city or town in the commonwealth from prohibiting gaming.

Actions for Bill H.1039

Date	Branch	Action
1/24/2011	House	Referred to the committee on Economic Development and Emerging Technologies
1/24/2011	Senate	Senate concurred
4/28/2011	Joint	Hearing scheduled for 05/04/2011 from 08:30 AM-05:00 PM in Gardner Auditorium
8/29/2011	House	Accompanied a new draft, see H3697

Petitioners: [Robert M. Koczera](#), [Marc R. Pacheco](#)

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