SENATE No. 2264

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul W. Mark

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 relative to pup trailers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Paul W. MarkBerkshire, Hampden, Franklin and
Hampshire

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By Mr. Mark, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2264) of Paul W. Mark relative to the use of certain trailers by farmers. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 3531 OF 2021-2022.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court (2023-2024)

An Act relative to pup trailers.

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. Section 19 of Chapter 90 is hereby amended by inserting after "ten 2 thousand pounds" the following: or a trailer having at least two axles, which, when towed by a 3 motor vehicle operating with a general registration and general registration number plate issued 4 to a farmer pursuant to section 5, and when operating with a permit for exceeding weight 5 limitations pursuant to Chapter 85, Section 30A and when used solely for purposes of 6 transportation of agricultural goods and products on the roads and highways to an agricultural 7 processing facility under the control of an individual or entity engaged in farming and agriculture 8 as defined in Chapter 128 Section 1A located in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with its 9 load weighs not more than ninety-nine thousand pounds as a combination of motor vehicle and 10 trailer.