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## IN SUPPORT BILL AS INTRODUCED H.797

I Lawrence Lozier support bill H.797 for the following reasons.

- 1. As a results to the present laws eviction laws the Landlords are at an unfair, unethical, and financial burden.
- 2. It is absolutely wrong for the authorities to expect a Landlord to maintain a property and pay all the expenses for months without collecting rent do to them after they get the judgement for damages.
- 3. The Bill that is purposed is a small step in helping the small Landlords to continue to provide much needed affordable housing to needy low income families.
- 4. See the attached pictures of the rental properties in Barre City that I feel the Landlords lost as a direct results of the present complicated, lengthy expensive and unethical, eviction laws dealing with tenants that don't pay rent.
- 5. As a results of these properties going in to foreclosure or tax sale, etc. the other tenants of the building may also lose their homes.
- 6. These vacant properties have become targets for thieves stripping them of copper, vandalism, and arson in Barre. These properties are hurting home values of adjacent properties.