

# MASSACHUSETTS FISCAL ALLIANCE

February 18, 2016

The Honorable Stanley Rosenberg  
President, The Massachusetts State Senate  
The State House  
Boston, MA 02133

Dear Mr. President,

On behalf of the members of the Massachusetts Fiscal Alliance and the citizens of the Commonwealth, I ask you to expel Senator Brian Joyce, D—Canton, for gross abuse of his senatorial office.

The Office of Campaign and Political Finance weeks ago found against Joyce and levied stiff fines. Yesterday, the FBI and the IRS raided his Canton law office. The proven misuses and abuses of his campaign account are clearly only the tip of an iceberg of illegal acts; still, those acts in themselves are enough to merit expulsion. Brian Joyce has established a pattern which the federal investigations will further uncover: Brian Joyce uses his senate office for personal enrichment.

The people of the Commonwealth, and particularly the people of Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth district deserve better. Please, remove this stain on the character of the venerable institution over which you preside. Begin Senate expulsion proceedings.

Thanks so much for your attention to this matter, and for all the work you do on behalf of our great Commonwealth.

Sincerely,



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