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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Paul K. Frost**

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*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 bill:

An Act expanding the use of cord blood and placental tissue donations.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Paul K. Frost | 7th Worcester |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 359 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act expanding the use of cord blood and placental tissue donations.

 *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. Chapter 111L, Section 5A of the General Laws is hereby amended by

Inserting the following at the end of the section:

“and for medical purposes but not limited to stem cell transplants.”