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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Kate Hogan (BY REQUEST)**

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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 Relating to MCAS Tutoring.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Leonard H. Golder | 67 Old Bolton RoadStow, MA 01775 |

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act Relating to MCAS Tutoring.

 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

 Any high School student with at least a 3.0 average in the student’s senior year shall, with the consent of the school’s principal and a recommendation of a teacher, be allowed to commit three hours a week to tutoring student in preparation for the MCAS tests, and upon completion of tutoring service for one year, be entitled to a tuition credit of $500.00, if the student matriculates to a public state college or university.

 The funds for tuition credit shall come from appropriations for MCAS tutors and shall be contingent upon their availability.