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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Robert M. Koczera**

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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 increasing the earned income credit for working families.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Robert M. Koczera | 11th Bristol |
| John V. Fernandes | 10th Worcester |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2989 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act increasing the earned income credit for working families.

 *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. Section 6 (h) of Chapter 62 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 173, the number “15” and inserting in place thereof the following number: - 30.

SECTION 2. Section 6 (h) of Chapter 62 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is further amended by inserting after the first paragraph the following paragraph:

 The commissioner of revenue shall provide all employers with a notice and a poster that sets forth the rights to the credit allowed under the first paragraph of this section.