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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Michael F. Rush**

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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 FURTHER DEFINING THE TERM EMPLOYEES FOR LABOR RELATIONS PURPOSES.

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PETITION OF:

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| Michael F. Rush | 10th Suffolk |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act FURTHER DEFINING THE TERM EMPLOYEES FOR LABOR RELATIONS PURPOSES.

*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 2 of chapter 150A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “orders” in line 24 the following:-

 provided, however employees of secondary schools operated by religious societies that are not connected with or controlled by any local diocese, parish, church, synagogue or similar religious organization shall be employees