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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Ms. Spilka**

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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 relative to recognizing the importance of public vision awareness.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Ms. Spilka | Second Middlesex and Norfolk |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S00698 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to recognizing the importance of public vision awareness.

 *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 3(c) of Chapter 17, as appearing in the 2006 official edition and as amended by Chapter 58 of the Acts of 2006, is herby amended by striking the word “six” in line 15 and inserting the following new word:- fourteen.

**SECTION 2.** Section 3(c) of Chapter 17, as appearing in the 2006 official edition and as amended by Chapter 58 of the Acts of 2006, is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof, the following new words:- “; and 1 shall be an optometrist appointed by the Massachusetts society of optometrists.”