HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Demetrius J. Atsalis

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 to change the definition of unenrolled voter to no party affiliation on official massachusetts election ballots.

PETITION OF:

NAME: DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Demetrius J. Atsalis

Second Barnstable

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In	the	Year	Two	Thousand	and	Nine

AN ACT TO CHANGE THE DEFINITION OF UNENROLLED VOTER TO NO PARTY AFFILIATION ON OFFICIAL MASSACHUSETTS ELECTION BALLOTS.

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. Chapters 50 through 57 of the Massachusetts General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by substituting the following words, "no party affiliation," for the phrase "unenrolled voter" wherever the phrase "unenrolled voter" appears.

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SECTION 2. The phrase "unenrolled voter" shall be changed to "no party affiliation" wherever it appears in the regulations promulgated pursuant to Chapters 50 through 57 of the Massachusetts General Laws as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition.