

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Antonio F.D. Cabral

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 implement full-day kindergarten.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Antonio F.D. Cabral	13th Bristol
Stephen L. DiNatale	3rd Worcester
Christine E. Canavan	10th Plymouth

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT FULL-DAY KINDERGARTEN.

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

1 Section 1B of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby
2 amended by striking the words contained in paragraph 20, and inserting in place thereof the following:

3 The board shall establish the permissible and mandatory ages for school attendance
4 provided that each child be required to attend a full-day educational program at kindergarten age.

5 SECTION 2. Section 1 of chapter 76 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official
6 Edition is hereby amended, by inserting in line 2, after the word, “education”, the following:

7 “any child enrolled in full-day kindergarten”.

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