HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cheryl A. Coakley-Rivera

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 improving handicapped accessibility.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Cheryl A. Coakley-Rivera

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

10th Hampden

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO IMPROVING HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBILITY.

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 13A of Chapter 22 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby
- 2 amended by inserting after the word "regulation" on line 96, the following:-
- 3 ",except as applies to social service agencies and programs which receive state funds who must become
- 4 handicapped accessible within five years of the date of passage of this bill."