

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Patricia A. Haddad

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 Charter Schools and Education Collaboratives.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CHARTER SCHOOLS AND EDUCATION COLLABORATIVES.

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 1. Section 4E of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is
2 hereby amended by inserting after the word "districts" in line 2 the following: "and boards of trustees of
3 charter schools". Said section is further amended in line 5 by inserting "and charter schools" after the
4 word "committees". Said section is further amended in line 6 by inserting "and boards of trustees of
5 charter schools" after "committees". Said section is further amended in line 7 by inserting "and charter
6 schools" after "school committees". Said section is further amended in line 12 by inserting "and board
7 of trustees" after "member school committee". Said section is further amended in line 13 by inserting
8 "or board of trustee" before "or his designee". Said section is further amended in line 28 by inserting
9 "and charter schools" after "member committees". Said section is further amended in line 34 by
10 inserting "and charter schools" after "member municipalities." Said section is further amended in line
11 64 by inserting "and charter schools" after "municipalities". Said section is further amended in line 97
12 by inserting "or board of trustees of any charter school" after "regional school district". Said section is
13 further amended in line 100 by inserting "or charter school" after "regional school district." Said section
14 is further amended in line 102 by inserting "or board of trustees" after "school committee".

15 SECTION 2. Section 22A of Chapter 7 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is
16 hereby amended in the following lines: line 4 by striking "or" appearing immediately before "authorities",
17 and inserting "or charter schools" after "authorities,,"; and line 5 by striking the "or" appearing
18 immediately before "authorities", and inserting "or charter schools" after "authorities,".