

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Barbara A. L'Italien

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 reimbursing cities and towns for special education transportation costs.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Barbara A. L'Italien	18th Essex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3850 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

**AN ACT REIMBURSING CITIES AND TOWNS FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION
TRANSPORTATION COSTS.**

*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. Chapter 71B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 official edition, is hereby
- 2 amended by adding the following new section:
- 3 Section 17. Cities and towns will be reimbursed up to 50% of the cost of special education out-of-district
- 4 transportation costs.