

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Charles A. Murphy

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 the status of runaways.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Charles A. Murphy

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

21st Middlesex

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE STATUS OF RUNAWAYS.

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

- 1 To be inserted: language amending the “child in need of services” statute to include children aged
- 2 17.