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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Martha M. Walz**

*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 payment of wages.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Martha M. Walz	8th Suffolk

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine  
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## AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PAYMENT OF WAGES.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation for this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is forthwith to make , therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

*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 148 of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 2, the words "weekly or bi-weekly" and
- 3 inserting in place thereof the following words: "weekly, biweekly or semi-monthly".