

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Creem, Cynthia (SEN)

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 establishing a grant program for the development and updating of school curriculums

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Creem, Cynthia (SEN)

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

First Middlesex and Norfolk

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S00306 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND UPDATING OF SCHOOL CURRICULA

*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 One E of Chapter Sixty-Nine of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following at the end thereof: —
3 Subject to appropriation, the board shall establish a grant program which shall award annual grants to
4 any school district for the costs associated with the development, evaluation, updating or refining of
5 curricula, textbooks, technology and other instructional materials. Such grant shall be provided to an
6 eligible school district on an annual basis for a three year period, provided that such school district shall
7 thereafter be ineligible to receive funds authorized under this program for a period of seven years. The
8 board shall promulgate regulations relative to the implementation of this program.