

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Tarr, Bruce (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 relative to the development of a Northeastern Massachusetts Nursing Institute

PETITION OF:

NAME: Tarr, Bruce (SEN)	DISTRICT/ADDRESS: First Essex and Middlesex
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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S00742 OF .]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF A NORTHEASTERN MASSACHUSETTS
NURSING INSTITUTE.

*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. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the Board of
2 Higher Education shall study the feasibility of developing a Northeastern Massachusetts Nursing
3 Institute, through the collaboration of Salem State College, Northern Essex Community College,
4 North Shore Community College, Middlesex Community College and hospitals and other health
5 providers in the area of northeastern Massachusetts, for the purpose of developing and sharing
6 resources for nursing education, recruitment and retention in the commonwealth.