

**SENATE . . . . . No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Ms. Spilka**

*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 recognizing the importance of public vision awareness.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Ms. Spilka

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Second Middlesex and Norfolk

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. S00698 OF 2007-2008.]

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF PUBLIC VISION AWARENESS.

*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 3(c) of Chapter 17, as appearing in the 2006 official edition and as amended by  
2    Chapter 58 of the Acts of 2006, is hereby amended by striking the word “six” in line 15 and inserting the  
3    following new word:- fourteen.

4    **SECTION 2.** Section 3(c) of Chapter 17, as appearing in the 2006 official edition and as amended by  
5    Chapter 58 of the Acts of 2006, is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof, the following new  
6    words:- “; and 1 shall be an optometrist appointed by the Massachusetts society of optometrists.”