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## **HOUSE**

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### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY: Thomas M. Stanley

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 to include the legislature in the open meeting law.

PETITION OF:

NAME: DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Thomas M. Stanley 9th Middlesex

#### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

#### AN ACT TO INCLUDE THE LEGISLATURE IN THE OPEN MEETING LAW.

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 23A of chapter 39 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the words "region or town" in line 11, and inserting in
- 3 place thereof the following words:- region, town or the general court.