HOUSE No. 2051

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Harold P. Naughton, Jr.

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to document learning readiness, achievement and growth of public school students.

PETITION OF:

NAME: DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Harold P. Naughton, Jr. 12th Worcester

HOUSE No. 2051

By Mr. Naughton of Clinton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2051) of Harold P. Naughton, Jr. for legislation to document public school student learning readiness, achievement and growth. Education.

The Commonwealth of Alassachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court (2017-2018)

An Act to document learning readiness, achievement and growth of public school students.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- Section 1 of Chapter 69 of the General laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out item (4) and inserting in place thereof the following words:
- 3 "(4) an effective mechanism for monitoring the actual progress of individual students'
- 4 mastery through the various learning standards in English, Mathematics, Science and Social
- 5 Studies, which mechanism seeks to identify, on an annual basis, the learning standards students
- 6 likely have already mastered and those which they haven't, for the purposes of identifying all
- 7 students' authentic growth and ensuring continuous progress through those learning standards, of
- 8 identifying directly the actual learning needs of students in the public classrooms of the
- 9 Commonwealth, and of holding districts, schools, and educators more accurately and fairly
- 10 accountable through such authentic measure of students' achievement and growth."