

HOUSE No. 2221

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Marjorie C. Decker

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 restore collective bargaining for teachers and other school employees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>
<i>Nika C. Elugardo</i>	<i>15th Suffolk</i>
<i>James K. Hawkins</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>Russell E. Holmes</i>	<i>6th Suffolk</i>
<i>James J. O'Day</i>	<i>14th Worcester</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>

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By Ms. Decker of Cambridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2221) of Marjorie C. Decker and others relative to collective bargaining rights of teachers and other school employees. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act to restore collective bargaining for teachers and other school employees.

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 1J of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by deleting in its entirety clause (8) of subsection (d); and by
3 deleting in clause (9) of subsection (d) the words “of practices” each time they appear; and by
4 deleting subsection (g) in its entirety; and by striking the period at the end of the first sentence in
5 subsection (i) and adding the words: “subject to Chapter 150E.”; and by striking in the third
6 paragraph of subsection (k) the second sentence in its entirety; and by striking in its entirety
7 clause (7) of subsection (o); and by deleting in clause (9) of sub-section (o) the words: “or
8 practices” each time they appear; and by striking the period at the end of the first sentence in
9 subsection (s) and adding the words: “subject to Chapter 150E.”.

10 SECTION 2. Section 1K of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016
11 Official Edition, is hereby amended by deleting clause (5) of subsection (d) in its entirety; and by
12 deleting in clause (8) of subsection (d) the words “or practices” each time they appear; and by

- 13 deleting in its entirety subsection (e); and by deleting in line 323 of subsection (h) the words:
- 14 “contracts, collective bargaining agreements or”.