

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2247**

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Dylan A. Fernandes***

*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 relative to fair worker representation on joint purchasing group committees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Dylan A. Fernandes</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>
<i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>	<i>37th Middlesex</i>
<i>Julian Cyr</i>	<i>Cape and Islands</i>
<i>Mindy Domb</i>	<i>3rd Hampshire</i>
<i>James B. Eldridge</i>	<i>Middlesex and Worcester</i>
<i>James K. Hawkins</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>Stephan Hay</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i>	<i>28th Middlesex</i>
<i>Christina A. Minicucci</i>	<i>14th Essex</i>
<i>Brian W. Murray</i>	<i>10th Worcester</i>
<i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Worcester</i>
<i>David Allen Robertson</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>
<i>John H. Rogers</i>	<i>12th Norfolk</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>

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By Mr. Fernandes of Falmouth, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2247) of Dylan A. Fernandes and others relative to joint purchasing group committee membership. Public Service.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2540 OF 2017-2018.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to fair worker representation on joint purchasing group committees.

*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 12 of Chapter 32B of the General Law, as appearing in the 2010 Official Edition,  
2 is hereby amended by inserting at the end of paragraph 2 the following:- Should a governmental  
3 agency enter into a trust or joint purchase agreement, a board and steering committee shall be  
4 established, including members of the appropriate public authorities, a minimum of one quarter  
5 (25%) of the members shall come from labor representatives elected from a list of  
6 representatives nominated by the collective bargaining units and a retiree from one of the  
7 governmental units appointed by the Retired State, County and Municipal Association of  
8 Massachusetts. All members will be considered voting members.