

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2720**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Antonio F. D. Cabral*

*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 allow oral examinations for learner’s permits.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Antonio F. D. Cabral*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*13th Bristol*

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By Mr. Cabral of New Bedford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2720) of Antonio F. D. Cabral for legislation to allow oral examinations for learner’s permits. Transportation.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act to allow oral examinations for learner’s permits.

*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 8B of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition,  
2 is hereby amended by adding the following sentences:-

3           “The registrar shall provide oral examinations to an applicant, if so requested, in any  
4 language then offered by the registry to administer learning permit examinations for Class D  
5 licenses to operate motor vehicles. The applicant or the registrar may provide an interpreter or  
6 interpreter service to assist in the oral examination, whose credentials shall be subject to the  
7 approval of the Registry.”.