

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2878**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Jeffrey N. Roy*

*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 coding and computer science in schools.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>

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By Mr. Roy of Franklin, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2878) of Jeffrey N. Roy and Paul McMurtry for legislation to include computer science, computational thinking and computer coding as statewide educational goals. Education.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to coding and computer science in schools.

*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 1D of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in line 6, after the words “science and  
3 technology,” the following words:- “computer science and computational thinking, including  
4 computer coding,”