

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Brian M. Ashe

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 passage of the accompanying:

An Act relative to changing the minimum age requirement for Kindergarten.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Brian M. Ashe	2nd Hampden
Sarah K. Peake	4th Barnstable
Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk
Aaron Vega	5th Hampden
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex
Thomas P. Conroy	13th Middlesex
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex

By Mr. Ashe of Longmeadow, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3339) of Brian M. Ashe and others relative to the mandatory minimum age for children to attend kindergarten . Education.

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An Act relative to changing the minimum age requirement for Kindergarten.

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

- 1 The twenty-first paragraph of section 1B of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as appearing
- 2 in the 2010 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:- The
- 3 mandatory minimum age for attendance of kindergarten shall be for a child 5 years of age for
- 4 attendance in the school year beginning in September of the calendar year in which he or she
- 5 attains the age of 5.