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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

#### Martha M. Walz

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 bill:

An Act relative to the payment of wages.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Martha M. Walz	8th Suffolk
Stephen L. DiNatale	3rd Worcester
Bradley H. Jones, Jr.	20th Middlesex
Sonia Chang-Díaz	Second Suffolk

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

### AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PAYMENT OF WAGES.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation for this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is forthwith to make , therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

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 148 of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 2, the words "weekly or bi-weekly" and
- 3 inserting in place thereof the following words: "weekly, biweekly or semi-monthly".