HOUSE No. 3620

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Natalie M. Higgins

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 prohibiting license revocation for student loan default.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Natalie M. Higgins	4th Worcester
Jack Patrick Lewis	7th Middlesex
Tricia Farley-Bouvier	3rd Berkshire
Mary S. Keefe	15th Worcester
Antonio F. D. Cabral	13th Bristol
David Paul Linsky	5th Middlesex
Stephan Hay	3rd Worcester
Dylan A. Fernandes	Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket
Michael S. Day	31st Middlesex
Brian W. Murray	10th Worcester
Michael O. Moore	Second Worcester
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester
Andres X. Vargas	3rd Essex
David M. Rogers	24th Middlesex
Brian M. Ashe	2nd Hampden
Tami L. Gouveia	14th Middlesex
James K. Hawkins	2nd Bristol

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By Ms. Higgins of Leominster, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3620) of Natalie M. Higgins and others relative to the renewal of certain licenses after default on student loans. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court (2019-2020)

An Act prohibiting license revocation for student loan default.

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 13 of chapter 30A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended by striking out the last paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following
- 3 paragraph:-
- 4 No agency, and no board of registration operating under the provisions of chapter 112,
- 5 shall deny issuance of, revoke, or refuse to renew any license or professional or occupational
- 6 certificate, registration or authority based on an individual's default on an educational loan.