

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 404**

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Mary E. Grant**

*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 establishing a physical education requirement in the public schools.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Mary E. Grant	6th Essex
Christine E. Canavan	10th Plymouth
John D. Keenan	7th Essex
Barbara A. L'Italien	18th Essex
James T. Welch	6th Hampden
Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.	12th Hampden
Sarah K. Peake	4th Barnstable
Ellen Story	3rd Hampshire
Timothy J. Toomey, Jr.	26th Middlesex
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex
Lori Ehrlich	8th Essex
Cory Atkins	14th Middlesex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 435 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PHYSICAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT IN THE PUBLIC  
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. The second paragraph of section 1D of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as
- 2 appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out in line 7, the words
- 3 “the arts”,
- 4 and inserting in the place thereof the words “the arts and physical education”.