

SENATE No. 1642

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Bruce E. Tarr

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 reducing the income tax.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/31/2017</i>
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>Worcester and Norfolk</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>

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By Mr. Tarr, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1642) of Bruce E. Tarr, Timothy R. Whelan, David F. DeCoste and Ryan C. Fattman for legislation to reduce the income tax. Revenue.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act reducing the income tax.

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 4 of Chapter 62 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking
2 lines 10 and 11, inclusive, and inserting in place thereof the following:-

3 (b) Part B taxable income shall be taxed at the rate of 5.1 per cent for tax years beginning
4 on or after January 1, 2018.

5 SECTION 2. Section 4 of said chapter 62 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
6 striking lines 10 and 11, inclusive, and inserting in place thereof the following:-

7 (b) Part B taxable income shall be taxed at the rate of 5 per cent for tax years beginning
8 on or after January 1, 2020.