

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1703**

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Ryan C. Fattman***

*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 costs for small businesses.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>Worcester and Norfolk</i>	
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Leonard Mirra</i>	<i>2nd Essex</i>	<i>1/26/2017</i>
<i>David K. Muradian, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>	<i>1/26/2017</i>
<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>	<i>1/26/2017</i>
<i>James R. Miceli</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/30/2017</i>
<i>Richard J. Ross</i>	<i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i>	<i>1/30/2017</i>
<i>Kevin J. Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>	<i>2/1/2017</i>
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>Randy Hunt</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>

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By Mr. Fattman, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1703) of Ryan C. Fattman, Shawn Dooley, Leonard Mirra, David K. Muradian, Jr. and other members of the General Court for legislation to reduce the costs for small businesses. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act reducing the costs for small businesses.

*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 12 of chapter 156C of the General Laws is hereby amended by  
2 striking subsection (d), as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition, and inserting in place thereof  
3 the following section:-

4           (d) The fee for filing of the certificate of organization required by subsection (a) shall be  
5 two hundred and fifty dollars. The fee for the filing of the annual report required by subsection  
6 (c) shall be two hundred and fifty dollars. Such fee shall be paid to the state secretary at the time  
7 the annual report is filed.

8           SECTION 2. Section 1 shall be effective beginning January 1, 2019.