

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1962**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Patrick M. O'Connor*

*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 relative to student loan debt.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Patrick M. O'Connor*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Plymouth and Norfolk*

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By Mr. O'Connor, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1962) of Patrick M. O'Connor for legislation relative to student loan debt. Revenue.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1749 OF 2019-2020.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to student loan debt.

*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. Paragraph (12) of Section 3 of Chapter 62 of the General Laws, as  
2 appearing in the 2014 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “college”  
3 the following words:- “or an institution offering a graduate or professional degree program”.

4           SECTION 2. Said paragraph (12) of Section 3 of Chapter 62, as so appearing, is hereby  
5 amended by striking out the words “an undergraduate student” and inserting in place thereof the  
6 following words:- “a student”.

7           SECTION 3. Said paragraph (12) of Section 3 of Chapter 62, as so appearing, is hereby  
8 amended by striking out the word “undergraduate”.