

SENATE No. 220

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cynthia Stone Creem

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 grant program for the development and updating of school curriculums

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Cynthia Stone Creem

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

First Middlesex and Norfolk

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S00306 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND UPDATING OF SCHOOL CURRICULA

*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 One E of Chapter Sixty-Nine of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following at the end thereof: —
3 Subject to appropriation, the board shall establish a grant program which shall award annual grants to any
4 school district for the costs associated with the development, evaluation, updating or refining of curricula,
5 textbooks, technology and other instructional materials. Such grant shall be provided to an eligible school
6 district on an annual basis for a three year period, provided that such school district shall thereafter be
7 ineligible to receive funds authorized under this program for a period of seven years. The board shall
8 promulgate regulations relative to the implementation of this program.