

**SENATE . . . . . No. 243**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Sal N. DiDomenico***

*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 background checks of persons providing direct services to children in a school setting or program.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>	
<i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i>	<i>28th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/30/2017</i>
<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/31/2017</i>

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 243) of Sal N. DiDomenico, Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr. and Kay Khan for legislation relative to background checks of persons providing direct services to children in a school setting or program. Education.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to background checks of persons providing direct services to children in a school setting or program.

*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 38R of chapter 71 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “district”, in line 10, the  
3 following words: - “, or any persons providing direct services to children in a school setting or  
4 program”.

5           SECTION 2. Section 38R of chapter 71 of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby  
6 amended by inserting after the word “grounds”, in line \_\_\_\_, the following words: - “, or any  
7 persons providing direct services to children in a school setting or program”.

8           SECTION 3. Section 38R of Chapter 71 of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby  
9 amended by inserting after the word “employer”, in line \_\_\_\_, the following words: - “ or any  
10 persons providing direct services to children in a school setting or program”.