

**SENATE . . . . . No. 266**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Adam G. Hinds*

*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 income eligible childcare.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Adam G. Hinds</i>	<i>Berkshire, Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden</i>	
<i>William Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>	<i>1/25/2017</i>
<i>Tricia Farley-Bouvier</i>	<i>3rd Berkshire</i>	<i>1/30/2017</i>
<i>Gailanne M. Cariddi</i>	<i>1st Berkshire</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/6/2017</i>

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By Mr. Hinds, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 266) of Adam G. Hinds, William Smitty Pignatelli, Tricia Farley-Bouvier, Gailanne M. Cariddi and others for legislation relative to income eligible childcare. Education.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to income eligible childcare.

*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 2 of chapter 15D of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition,  
2 is hereby amended by inserting after the word “families”, in line 49, the following:-

3           provided that households, whose gross monthly income is at or below 50% of the State  
4 Median Income at the initial income eligibility assessment, will continue to meet the financial  
5 requirements if total gross monthly income for the household remains at or below 90% of the  
6 State Median Income