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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

### Mark J. Cusack and John F. Keenan

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 the small necessities leave act.

### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Mark J. Cusack	5th Norfolk
John F. Keenan	Norfolk and Plymouth
Walter F. Timilty	Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth

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By Representative Cusack of Braintree and Senator Keenan, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1604) of Mark J. Cusack, John F. Keenan and Walter F. Timilty relative to family and medical leave. Labor and Workforce Development.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court (2019-2020)

An Act relative to the small necessities leave act.

*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 52D of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016

2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 4, the words "by blood or marriage to

3 the employee, including a" and inserting in place thereof the following words:- by blood,

4 marriage, or adoption to the employee, including a parent or an adoptive.