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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

#### Marc T. Lombardo

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 increasing penalties to employers who employ illegal immigrants.

#### PETITION OF:

Name:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Marc T. Lombardo	22nd Middlesex
Kevin J. Kuros	8th Worcester
Shaunna L. O'Connell	3rd Bristol

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By Mr. Lombardo of Billerica, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1734) of Marc T. Lombardo, Kevin J. Kuros and Shaunna L. O'Connell relative to increasing penalties to employers who employ any alien who is a student or visitor or who has not been admitted to the United States. Labor and Workforce Development.

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act relative to increasing penalties to employers who employ illegal immigrants.

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 19C of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 16 and 17, the words "five hundred
- 3 nor less than two hundred dollars" and inserting in place thereof the following:- "\$10,000 nor
- 4 less than \$4,000".