HOUSE No. 1753

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Harold P. Naughton, Jr.

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 prevailing wages.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Harold P. Naughton, Jr.	12th Worcester
Mark J. Cusack	5th Norfolk
Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk
Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.	28th Middlesex
James J. Dwyer	30th Middlesex
Danielle W. Gregoire	4th Middlesex
Thomas M. Petrolati	7th Hampden
Michelle M. DuBois	10th Plymouth
Sal N. DiDomenico	Middlesex and Suffolk
Michael D. Brady	9th Plymouth
Chris Walsh	6th Middlesex
David M. Rogers	24th Middlesex

FILED ON: 1/15/2015

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By Mr. Naughton of Clinton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1753) of Harold P. Naughton, Jr. and others relative to prevailing wages. Labor and Workforce Development.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 1752 OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to prevailing wages.

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.
- 2 Section 26 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing
- 3 in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph 1, line 43, after
- words "pension plans" the following:- ", bona fide apprenticeship programs approved by the
- commonwealth which comply with the requirements of Sections 11E to 11L, inclusive, of
- Chapter 23 of the General Laws".
- 7 SECTION 2.
- 8 Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing

- in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph 1, line 42, after the words "pension plans" the following: ", bona fide apprenticeship programs approved by the commonwealth which comply with the requirements of sections 11E to 11L, inclusive, of Chapter 23 of the General Laws".
- 13 SECTION 3.
- Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph 1, line 47, after the words "pension plan" the following:- ", a bona fide apprenticeship
- program approved by the commonwealth which comply with the requirements of sections 18 11E to 11L, inclusive, of Chapter 23 of the General Laws".
- 19 SECTION 4.
- Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph 1, line 51, after the words "health and welfare funds" the following:- ", bona fide
- apprenticeship programs approved by the commonwealth which comply with the requirements of sections 11E to 11L, inclusive, of Chapter 23 of the General Laws".
- 25 SECTION 5.
- Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph 3, line 57, after the words "and welfare funds" the following:- ", bona fide apprenticeship programs approved by the commonwealth which comply with the requirements of sections 11E to 11L, inclusive, of Chapter 23 of the General Laws".

- 30 SECTION 6.
- 31 Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition,
- 32 is hereby amended by inserting paragraph 3, line 70, after the words "health and welfare funds"
- 33 the following:- ", bona fide apprenticeship programs approved by the commonwealth which
- 34 comply with the requirements of sections 11E to 11L, inclusive, of Chapter 23 of the General
- 35 Laws".
- 36 SECTION 7.
- 37 Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition,
- 38 is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph 3, line 76, after the words "welfare funds" the
- 39 following:- ", bona fide apprenticeship programs approved by the commonwealth which comply
- 40 with the requirements of sections 11E to 11L, inclusive, of Chapter 23 of the General Laws".
- 41 SECTION 8.
- 42 Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition,
- 43 is hereby amended by inserting in paragraph 3, line 85, after the words "welfare funds" the
- 44 following:- ", bona fide apprenticeship programs approved by the commonwealth which comply
- 45 with the requirements of sections 1B to 11L, inclusive, of Chapter 23 of the General Laws".
- Section 9.
- 47 Section 27 of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition,
- 48 is hereby amended by inserting after the word in paragraph 3, line 49 after the word
- 49 "construction" the following:-" Any employer engaged in the construction of such works who
- make payments to a health and welfare plan, a bona fide apprentice program, a pension plan and

- 51 a supplementary unemployment benefit plan, shall only deduct payments from wages in
- 52 accordance with the appropriate collective bargaining agreement.