

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 02594**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Marc Lombardo*

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*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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to open meetings.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Marc Lombardo</i>	<i>22nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Sheila Harrington</i>	<i>1st Middlesex</i>
<i>Steven L. Levy</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>
<i>Daniel K. Webster</i>	<i>6th Plymouth</i>

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By Mr. Lombardo of Billerica, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2594) of Webster and others for legislation to include the General Court, its committees and recess commissions in the laws regulating open meetings Joint Committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE  
 SENATE  
 , NO. 1458 OF 2009-2010.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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*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 18 of Chapter 30A of the General Laws, as most recently added by Section
- 2 18 of Chapter 28 of the Acts of 2009, is hereby amended in the definition of “Public body” by
- 3 striking the phrase, “general court or the committees or recess commissions thereof.”