

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2709**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Patricia A. Haddad***

*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 designating Dysautonomia & POTS awareness month.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Carlos Gonzalez</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>
<i>Susannah M. Whipps</i>	<i>2nd Franklin</i>

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By Mrs. Haddad of Somerset, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2709) of Patricia A. Haddad and others for the issuance by the Governor of an annual proclamation setting apart the month of October as Dysautonomia and POTS awareness month. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1667 OF 2017-2018.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act designating Dysautonomia & POTS awareness month.

*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. Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section  
2   15BBBBBB, the following section:—

3           Section 15CCCCC. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart  
4   October as Dysautonomia & POTS Awareness Month and recommending that the month be  
5   observed in an appropriate manner by the people.