## HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 2736

#### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Louis L. Kafka

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 inflammatory breast cancer awareness day.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk
Elizabeth A. Poirier	14th Bristol
Michael D. Brady	Second Plymouth and Bristol
Tackey Chan	2nd Norfolk
Steven S. Howitt	4th Bristol
Thomas A. Golden, Jr.	16th Middlesex
Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.	12th Hampden
Paul Brodeur	32nd Middlesex
Diana DiZoglio	First Essex
John Barrett, III	1st Berkshire
Kate Hogan	3rd Middlesex
Hannah Kane	11th Worcester
John H. Rogers	12th Norfolk
James K. Hawkins	2nd Bristol

FILED ON: 1/17/2019

### **HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 2736**

By Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2736) of Louis L. Kafka and others for legislation to designate October 18 as inflammatory breast cancer awareness day. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

# [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 1678 OF 2017-2018.]

#### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act designating inflammatory breast cancer awareness day.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section
- 2 15RRRRR, the following section:—
- 3 Section 15SSSSS. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart October
- 4 18 as Inflammatory Breast Cancer Awareness Day to raise awareness of the occurrence of
- 5 inflammatory breast cancer and to encourage regular testing for inflammatory breast cancer
- 6 amongst all citizens of the commonwealth and recommending that the day be observed in an
- 7 appropriate manner by the people.