

HOUSE No. 2761

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Norman J. Orrall

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 to promote Massachusetts manufacturers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Norman J. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>
<i>William L. Crocker, Jr.</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>
<i>Shaunna L. O'Connell</i>	<i>3rd Bristol</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Christopher Hendricks</i>	<i>11th Bristol</i>
<i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>

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By Mr. Orrall of Lakeville, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2761) of Norman J. Orrall and others for legislation to encourage in-state procurements by state agencies or governmental bodies. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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

An Act to promote Massachusetts manufacturers.

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 30B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof the following new section:-

3 Section 24. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary and to the extent
4 permitted by federal law, a state agency or governmental body shall procure a minimum of ten
5 percent of the contract value of products by businesses, as defined in section 3A of chapter 23A
6 of the general laws, provided, that the commonwealth is their principal place of business, and
7 provided further, that a waiver process is set forth by the awarding authority.