

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3147**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Sean Garballey***

*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:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>	<i>2/16/2021</i>
<i>Diana DiZoglio</i>	<i>First Essex</i>	<i>2/26/2021</i>
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	<i>3/17/2021</i>

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By Mr. Garballey of Arlington, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3147) of Sean Garballey, Diana DiZoglio and Hannah Kane for legislation to designate October 18 as inflammatory breast cancer awareness day. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2736 OF 2019-2020.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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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:*

1           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 the  
4   second Tuesday of October as Inflammatory Breast Cancer Awareness Day to raise awareness of  
5   the occurrence of inflammatory breast cancer and to encourage regular testing for inflammatory  
6   breast cancer amongst all citizens of the commonwealth and recommending that the day be  
7   observed in an appropriate manner by the people.