

HOUSE No. 470**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

Kenneth I. Gordon*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 relative to affordable and accessible high quality early education and care.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Kenneth I. Gordon</i>	<i>21st Middlesex</i>
<i>Mike Connolly</i>	<i>26th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jack Patrick Lewis</i>	<i>7th Middlesex</i>
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>
<i>Steven Ultrino</i>	<i>33rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Lindsay N. Sabadosa</i>	<i>1st Hampshire</i>
<i>Antonio F. D. Cabral</i>	<i>13th Bristol</i>
<i>Christine P. Barber</i>	<i>34th Middlesex</i>
<i>David M. Rogers</i>	<i>24th Middlesex</i>
<i>Alan Silvia</i>	<i>7th Bristol</i>
<i>Tricia Farley-Bouvier</i>	<i>3rd Berkshire</i>
<i>Dylan A. Fernandes</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>
<i>Tommy Vitolo</i>	<i>15th Norfolk</i>
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Tram T. Nguyen</i>	<i>18th Essex</i>
<i>Natalie M. Higgins</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>
<i>Mary S. Keefe</i>	<i>15th Worcester</i>

<i>Ruth B. Balser</i>	<i>12th Middlesex</i>
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>
<i>Adrian C. Madaro</i>	<i>1st Suffolk</i>
<i>Christopher M. Markey</i>	<i>9th Bristol</i>
<i>Brian W. Murray</i>	<i>10th Worcester</i>
<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>
<i>Denise C. Garlick</i>	<i>13th Norfolk</i>
<i>Jay D. Livingstone</i>	<i>8th Suffolk</i>
<i>Maria Duaime Robinson</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>
<i>Josh S. Cutler</i>	<i>6th Plymouth</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>
<i>William M. Straus</i>	<i>10th Bristol</i>
<i>Christina A. Minicucci</i>	<i>14th Essex</i>
<i>Stephan Hay</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Carmine Lawrence Gentile</i>	<i>13th Middlesex</i>
<i>Edward F. Coppinger</i>	<i>10th Suffolk</i>
<i>Daniel Cahill</i>	<i>10th Essex</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>James B. Eldridge</i>	<i>Middlesex and Worcester</i>
<i>Bud L. Williams</i>	<i>11th Hampden</i>
<i>Daniel M. Donahue</i>	<i>16th Worcester</i>
<i>Carlos Gonzalez</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>
<i>Harriette L. Chandler</i>	<i>First Worcester</i>
<i>Liz Miranda</i>	<i>5th Suffolk</i>
<i>Patricia D. Jehlen</i>	<i>Second Middlesex</i>
<i>Richard M. Haggerty</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i>
<i>David Paul Linsky</i>	<i>5th Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. O'Day</i>	<i>14th Worcester</i>
<i>Mindy Domb</i>	<i>3rd Hampshire</i>
<i>Aaron Vega</i>	<i>5th Hampden</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>
<i>Gerard J. Cassidy</i>	<i>9th Plymouth</i>
<i>Rebecca L. Rausch</i>	<i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i>
<i>David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf</i>	<i>17th Worcester</i>
<i>Daniel R. Cullinane</i>	<i>12th Suffolk</i>

<i>David T. Vieira</i>	<i>3rd Barnstable</i>
<i>Carole A. Fiola</i>	<i>6th Bristol</i>
<i>Paul Brodeur</i>	<i>32nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Jon Santiago</i>	<i>9th Suffolk</i>
<i>Michael J. Barrett</i>	<i>Third Middlesex</i>
<i>John J. Mahoney</i>	<i>13th Worcester</i>
<i>Paul W. Mark</i>	<i>2nd Berkshire</i>
<i>Paul A. Schmid, III</i>	<i>8th Bristol</i>
<i>Danielle W. Gregoire</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>
<i>James K. Hawkins</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>Nika C. Elugardo</i>	<i>15th Suffolk</i>
<i>Peter Capano</i>	<i>11th Essex</i>
<i>Frank A. Moran</i>	<i>17th Essex</i>
<i>Chynah Tyler</i>	<i>7th Suffolk</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>
<i>Tami L. Gouveia</i>	<i>14th Middlesex</i>
<i>Cindy F. Friedman</i>	<i>Fourth Middlesex</i>

HOUSE No. 470

By Mr. Gordon of Bedford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 470) of Kenneth I. Gordon and others relative to affordable and accessible high quality early education and care. Education.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to affordable and accessible high quality early education and care.

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

1 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the Commonwealth shall take
2 steps to assure (1) that all children in Massachusetts have access to affordable, high quality early
3 education and child care, including care during non-standard work hours; and (2) appropriate
4 professional development and compensation for early education and care providers.

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