

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 481**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*John W. Scibak*

*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 teacher certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*John W. Scibak*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*2nd Hampshire*

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By Mr. Scibak of South Hadley, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 481) of John W. Scibak relative to requiring mandatory CPR training for all elementary and secondary school teachers in the Commonwealth. Education.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 484 OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to teacher certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

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

1 Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby  
2 amended by inserting after Section 54B the following section:-

3 Section 54C. All elementary and secondary school teachers in the Commonwealth of  
4 Massachusetts shall be required to be certified in the administration of cardiopulmonary  
5 resuscitation, as evidenced by the successful completion of a training course in cardiopulmonary  
6 resuscitation from the American Red Cross, American Heart Association or other agency  
7 approved by the Department of Public Health.