

HOUSE No. 700

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David M. Nangle

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 voter registration sessions.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

David M. Nangle

17th Middlesex

David F. DeCoste

5th Plymouth

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By Mr. Nangle of Lowell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 700) of David M. Nangle and David F. DeCoste relative to voter registration sessions. Election Laws.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 383 OF 2017-2018.]

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

An Act relative to voter registration sessions.

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 51, Section 26 of the General laws is hereby amended by deleting
2 the following words in the middle of the section “eight o’clock in the evening on the twentieth
3 day preceding such election and no later than eight o’clock in the evening on the tenth day
4 preceding a special town meeting.” And replace them with the following language “close of
5 business on the twentieth day or close of business of the local election officials office on the
6 business day prior to the twentieth day preceding such election and no later than close of
7 business on the tenth day or close of business of the local election officials office on the business
8 day prior to the tenth day preceding a special town meeting. “

9 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.