

SENATE No. 1083

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Patricia D. Jehlen

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 banning noncompetition agreements in the Commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Patricia D. Jehlen</i>	<i>Second Middlesex</i>	
<i>Elizabeth A. Malia</i>	<i>11th Suffolk</i>	<i>2/1/2019</i>

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By Ms. Jehlen, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1083) of Patricia D. Jehlen and Elizabeth A. Malia for legislation relative to banning noncompetition agreements in the Commonwealth. Labor and Workforce Development.

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

An Act relative to banning noncompetition agreements in the Commonwealth.

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. Section 24L of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is
2 amended by inserting at the end of the section, the following:-

3 “Effective January 1, 2021, noncompetition agreements, as defined in this section, shall
4 be void and unenforceable.”