SENATE

. No. 01407

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Steven A. Tolman

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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act regarding critical shortage waivers for public school teachers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Steven A. TolmanSecond Suffolk and Middlesex

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By Mr. Tolman, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1407) of Tolman for legislation regarding critical shortage waivers for public school teachers [Joint Committee on Public Service].

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act regarding critical shortage waivers for public school teachers.

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 32 Section 91(e) of the general laws is hereby amended by adding
- 2 the following sentence at the end of the section:-
- In the case of a critical shortage waiver, a teacher may not begin work until a copy of the
- 4 waiver has been received by the teacher or notification has been received in writing by the
- 5 teacher that the waiver has been granted.