

SENATE No. 1468

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jason M. Lewis, (BY REQUEST)

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 school immunization requirements.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Karen Talarico

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By Mr. Lewis (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1468) of Karen Talarico for legislation relative to school immunization requirements. Public Health.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court
(2021-2022)**

An Act relative to school immunization requirements.

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

1 The first sentence of Section 15 of Chapter 76 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
2 deleting the words “and poliomyelitis and such other communicable diseases as may be specified
3 from time to time by the department of public health” and inserting, after the word “measles”,
4 the following words “, mumps, rubella, poliomyelitis, haemophilus influenzae type B, hepatitis
5 B, varicella and meningitis, with required dosages of each immunization for each age group
6 specified in regulations promulgated by the department of public health following a public
7 hearing in accordance with the requirements of Section 2 of Chapter 30A.”.