SENATE

. No. 213

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mr. Brewer

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 relative to provisional educators.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Mr. Brewer	Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin
Anne M. Gobi	5th Worcester

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. S00298 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Alassachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO PROVISIONAL EDUCATORS.

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

- SECTION 1. Section 38G of chapter 71 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "program.", in line 76, the following
- 3 sentence:- Notwithstanding the clause (2), an applicant for provisional educator who is
- 4 otherwise qualified may be temporarily certified as a provisional educator for a period of up to 3
- 5 years without taking the test, but shall take and pass the test before the expiration of the 3 year
- 6 period.