SENATE

. No. 00228

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Richard J. Ross

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 special education enrollment.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Richard J. Ross	Norfolk, Bristol, and Middlesex
Karen E. Spilka	Second Middlesex and Norfolk
Bruce E. Tarr	First Essex and Middlesex
Daniel Winslow	9th Norfolk

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By Mr. Ross, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 228) of Winslow, Tarr, Spilka and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to the definition of students enrolled in special education classes inside and outside of school districts [Joint Committee on Education].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE

□ HOUSE , NO. 484 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to special education enrollment.

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 2 of chapter 70 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking the third and fourth definitions and inserting in
- 3 place thereof the following definitions:- "Assumed tuitioned-out special education enrollment",
- 4 the prior 5 year district average percentage of students included in foundation enrollments on
- 5 Special Education Individual Education Plan whom the district has placed in out of district
- 6 placements.
- 7 "Assumed in school special education enrollment", the prior 5 year district average
- 8 percentage of students included in foundation enrollments on Special Education Individual
- 9 Education Plans who attend district schools.