

HOUSE No. 3402

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul McMurtry and Aaron Vega

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 teacher innovation and school supplies support.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>Aaron Vega</i>	<i>5th Hampden</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>
<i>Stephen L. DiNatale</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Kenneth I. Gordon</i>	<i>21st Middlesex</i>
<i>Ellen Story</i>	<i>3rd Hampshire</i>
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Timothy R. Madden</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>
<i>Cory Atkins</i>	<i>14th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>
<i>Garrett J. Bradley</i>	<i>3rd Plymouth</i>
<i>Claire D. Cronin</i>	<i>11th Plymouth</i>

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By Messrs. McMurtry of Dedham and Vega of Holyoke, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3402) of Paul McMurtry and others relative to exempting certain school supply expenses of elementary and secondary school teachers from the income tax. Revenue.

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to teacher innovation and school supplies support.

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. Paragraph (a) of part B of section 3 of chapter 62 of the General Laws, as
2 appearing in the 2010 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following
3 subparagraph:-

4 (16) An amount as described in section 62(a)(2)(D) of the Code for certain expenses of
5 elementary and secondary school teachers, only to the extent the amount is not otherwise
6 deducted under subparagraph (7).

7 SECTION 2. Section 1 shall be effective for tax years beginning on or after January 1,
8 2013.