

HOUSE No. 2480

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Carlos González

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 to change the corporate and housing tax credits, tax incentives, tiff.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Carlos González</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>	<i>1/18/2019</i>
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>
<i>Marcos A. Devers</i>	<i>16th Essex</i>	<i>1/30/2019</i>
<i>David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf</i>	<i>17th Worcester</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>
<i>Rady Mom</i>	<i>18th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/30/2019</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>	<i>1/23/2019</i>
<i>Bud L. Williams</i>	<i>11th Hampden</i>	<i>1/23/2019</i>

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By Mr. González of Springfield, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2480) of Carlos González and others relative to corporate taxes. Revenue.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act to change the corporate and housing tax credits, tax incentives, tiff.

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 economic benefits of corporate tax credits do not trickle down to the citizens of our
2 Commonwealth nearly as much as the corporations that receive them. Massachusetts is in need
3 of a body that will research and assess the effectiveness corporate tax credits have on promoting
4 economic growth in order to ensure that these credits effectively promote job creation and
5 economic development in a fiscally efficient manner. To this end, I propose that these tax credit,
6 tax incentive, tiff's ect be renamed "Corporate Welfare" to more accurately reflect their effects
7 and raise proper awareness of the state of corporate tax credit evaluation in Massachusetts.