

HOUSE No. 490

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Nine

An Act Eliminating the use of MCAS as a high school graduation requirement..

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. Section 1D of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2002
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “graduation” ,in line 59, the
3 following words:—; provided, however, that the MCAS test, so-called, or other state-developed,
4 standardized test, shall not be a component of the competency determination.