

**SENATE . . . . . No. 832**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Thomas M. McGee***

*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 further regulating the rights of adopted children..**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Thomas M. McGee</i>	<i>Third Essex</i>	<i>1/14/2022</i>

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**In the Year Two Thousand Nine**  
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An Act further regulating the rights of adopted children..

*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. Chapter 27 of the acts of 1969 is hereby amended by striking out section 2,  
2 as amended by section 3 of chapter 769 of the acts of 1975, and inserting in place thereof the  
3 following section:- Section 2. Section 8 of chapter 210 of the General Laws shall apply to all  
4 grants, trust settlements, entails, devises, or bequests executed at any time, but this section shall  
5 not affect distributions made before September 1, 2009 under testamentary instruments executed  
6 before September 1, 1969.