

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2739**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Angelo M. Scaccia*

*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 local election officials.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Angelo M. Scaccia</i>	<i>14th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/21/2011</i>
<i>William F. Galvin</i>	<i>Secretary of the Commonwealth</i>	

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By Mr. Scaccia of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2739) of Angelo M. Scaccia and William F. Galvin relative to mandatory training of local election officials. Election Laws.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**

An Act relative to local election officials.

*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 51 of the General Laws, as appearing in the most recent edition, is  
2 hereby amended by adding after Section 17 the following new section:-

3 “Section 17A. Every member of the Board of Registrars and/or Election Commission  
4 and any other person responsible for the administration of the election laws in a city or town  
5 shall attend annual mandatory training on the applicable state and federal election laws and  
6 regulations conducted by the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth”.

7 Section 2. Section 19B and 19C of Chapter 41, of the General Laws are hereby repealed.

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9 Section 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.