HOUSE No. 65

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kay Khan

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 cueing and supervision in the PCA program.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	1/19/2011
Patricia D. Jehlen		2/1/2011
George T. Ross	2nd Bristol	2/4/2011

By Ms. Khan of Newton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 65) of Kay Khan, Patricia D. Jehlen and George T. Ross relative to cueing and supervision in the personal care attendant program. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 3645 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to cueing and supervision in the PCA program.

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 12 of chapter one hundred and eighteen E as so appearing, is hereby
- 2 amended in the first paragraph by inserting at the end thereof the following new sentence:-
- 3 "Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, the
- 4 division shall develop or amend any standards and regulations applicable to the personal care
- 5 attendant program to include as eligible members those individuals who are otherwise eligible
- 6 for said program, but who require supervision and cueing in order to perform two or more
- 7 activities of daily living."