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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

### James J. O'Day

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 family networks..

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
James J. O'Day	14th Worcester	1/19/2011

#### HOUSE DOCKET, NO. 789 FILED ON: 1/19/2011

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By Mr. O'Day of West Boylston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 71) of James J. O'Day that the Department of Children and Families be prohibited from appropriating state funds on family networks contacts, so-called. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

## [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. *162* OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to family networks..

*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. Notwithstanding and general or special law to the contrary, Chapter 18B of

2 the Mass General Laws is amended by adding Section 23: "the Department of Children and

3 Families is precluded from spending any state dollars on Family Networks contacts, so called,

4 and all cost savings utilized from the cancellation of such contracts shall be used to hire

5 additional social workers and supervisors including cost such as additional manager, desks,

6 computers, etc.