

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 843**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***John W. Scibak***

*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 Establishing Fragile X Awareness Day.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>John W. Scibak</i>	<i>2nd Hampshire</i>	<i>3/15/2012</i>

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By Mr. Scibak of South Hadley, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 843) of John W. Scibak for the annual issuance by the Governor of a proclamation setting apart July 22 as Fragile X Awareness Day. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act Establishing Fragile X Awareness Day.

*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 6 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is  
2 hereby amended by inserting after Section 15KKKKK, the following section:

3           The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart July 22 as Fragile X  
4 Awareness Day, in recognition of the successes achieved in diagnosis and treatment through  
5 spreading awareness in the Fragile X community and beyond, and shall recommend that the day  
6 be observed in an appropriate manner by the people.