

SENATE No. 193

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cynthia S. Creem

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 to maintain short term objectives for students with disabilities.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Cynthia S. Creem</i>	
<i>David B. Sullivan</i>	<i>6th Bristol</i>
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>
<i>Linda Dorcena Forry</i>	<i>12th Suffolk</i>

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By Ms. Creem, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 193) of Cynthia S. Creem, David B. Sullivan, Denise Provost and Linda Dorcena Forry for legislation to maintain short term objectives for students with disabilities. Education.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 222 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven
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An Act to maintain short term objectives for students with disabilities.

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 71B, Section 3 of the General Laws is hereby amended
2 by inserting the following sentence after line 162:

3 A child's individualized education program, or IEP, as defined is 20 USC sec
4 1401 (14) shall include a statement of measurable annual goals, including academic and
5 functional goals, and a description of benchmarks or short-term objectives.