

**SENATE . . . . . No. 943**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Michael O. Moore***

*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 apprenticeship programs.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Michael O. Moore*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

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By Mr. Moore, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 943) of Michael O. Moore for legislation relative to apprenticeship programs. Labor and Workforce Development.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act relative to apprenticeship programs.

*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 11H of Chapter 23 of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by striking out the term “apprenticeship program” and inserting in place thereof the  
3 following new term:-

4           “Apprenticeship program”, a program which is registered with the division for the  
5 recruitment, selection, employment, training and qualification of apprentices, and which has  
6 successfully completed one year of an initially approved and registered program with the  
7 Division of Apprentice Training.

8           SECTION 2. Section 11h of Chapter 23 of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby  
9 amended by striking out the term “apprenticeship program sponsor” and inserting in place  
10 thereof the following new term:-

11           “Apprenticeship Program Sponsor”, a person, association, committee, organization,  
12 corporation, partnership, trust or other entity operating an apprentice program and in whose

- 13 name the program is registered with the division and which has successfully completed one year
- 14 of an initially approved and registered program with the Division of Apprentice Training.