## **HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 158**

#### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David B. Sullivan

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:
David B. Sullivan	6th Bristol	1/16/2013
Benjamin Swan	11th Hampden	
Christopher G. Fallon	33rd Middlesex	
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	
Jason M. Lewis	Fifth Middlesex	
Sarah K. Peake	4th Barnstable	
Tricia Farley-Bouvier	3rd Berkshire	
Bradley H. Jones, Jr.	20th Middlesex	
Paul Brodeur	32nd Middlesex	
Tom Sannicandro	7th Middlesex	
Michael R. Knapik	Second Hampden and Hampshire	
Patricia A. Haddad	5th Bristol	
Patricia D. Jehlen	Second Middlesex	

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By Mr. Sullivan of Fall River, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 158) of David B. Sullivan and others relative to the eligibility of certain persons for the personal care attendant program. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

# [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2685 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Section 1: Section 12 of chapter one hundred and eighteen E as so appearing, is hereby amended in the first paragraph by inserting at the end thereof the following new sentence:-

"Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, the division shall develop or amend any standards and regulations applicable to the personal care attendant program to include as eligible members those individuals who are otherwise eligible for said program, but who require supervision and cueing in order to perform two or more activities of daily living."