

HOUSE No. 1982

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Patricia A. Haddad

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 clarifying participation in athletic safety programs.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>	<i>1/2/2013</i>
<i>Kate Hogan</i>	<i>3rd Middlesex</i>	
<i>Benjamin Swan</i>	<i>11th Hampden</i>	

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By Mrs. Haddad of Somerset, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1982) of Patricia A. Haddad, Kate Hogan and Benjamin Swan for legislation to establish an interscholastic athletic head injury safety training program within the Department of Public Health. Public Health.

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act clarifying participation in athletic safety 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 222 of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010 Official
2 Edition, is amended by adding in subsection (a) at the end of the first sentence:-

3 Notwithstanding the provisions of this section, coaches, athletic directors and parents or
4 legal guardians of a child who participates in an interscholastic athletic activity shall be required
5 to take such course every 2 years.