## **HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 399**

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Colleen M. Garry

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 transportation of regional vocational schools.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Colleen M. Garry	36th Middlesex	1/17/2013
Eileen M. Donoghue	First Middlesex	

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By Miss Garry of Dracut, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 399) of Colleen M. Garry and Eileen M. Donoghue relative to the transportation of regional vocational school students. Education.

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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 68 of chapter 71 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following at the end thereof:

Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, regional vocational schools may assess a transportation fee to transported students up to an amount sufficient to cover the costs incurred by the district, provided, however, that a transported student who is eligible for free or reduced lunch under the federal school lunch program shall not be required to pay the fee.