HOUSE No. 1816

The Commonwealth of Alassachusetts PRESENTED BY: Tom Sannicandro 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 improving financial supports for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| Tom Sannicandro | 7th Middlesex | 1/16/2015 |

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By Mr. Sannicandro of Ashland, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1816) of Tom Sannicandro relative to financial support for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Mental Health and Substance Abuse.

The Commonwealth of Alassachusetts

In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act improving financial supports for people with intellectual and developmental 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 ABLE accounts shall allow people with disabilities over the age of 26 to access the
- 2 benefits of an ABLE account as established in Chapter 226 of the Acts of 2014 as well.