

HOUSE No. 375

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sean Garballey

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 the composition of the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>
<i>Claire D. Cronin</i>	<i>11th Plymouth</i>
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>
<i>David T. Vieira</i>	<i>3rd Barnstable</i>
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>
<i>Tricia Farley-Bouvier</i>	<i>3rd Berkshire</i>
<i>Carmine L. Gentile</i>	<i>13th Middlesex</i>
<i>Benjamin Swan</i>	<i>11th Hampden</i>
<i>Mary S. Keefe</i>	<i>15th Worcester</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>Patricia D. Jehlen</i>	<i>Second Middlesex</i>
<i>James B. Eldridge</i>	<i>Middlesex and Worcester</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>
<i>Jerald A. Parisella</i>	<i>6th Essex</i>

<i>Paul W. Mark</i>	<i>2nd Berkshire</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>
<i>Frank I. Smizik</i>	<i>15th Norfolk</i>
<i>Kenneth I. Gordon</i>	<i>21st Middlesex</i>
<i>Steven Ultrino</i>	<i>33rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Paul Brodeur</i>	<i>32nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>	<i>37th Middlesex</i>
<i>Timothy J. Toomey, Jr.</i>	<i>26th Middlesex</i>
<i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i>	<i>8th Plymouth</i>
<i>William Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>
<i>Robert L. Hedlund</i>	<i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i>
<i>Gailanne M. Cariddi</i>	<i>1st Berkshire</i>

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By Mr. Garballey of Arlington, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 375) of Sean Garballey and others for legislation to allow teachers currently employed and receiving compensation to serve on the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. Education.

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

An Act relative to the composition of the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.

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 1E of chapter 15 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 5 through 16, the second and third
3 sentences, and inserting in place thereof the following:- The 9 members appointed by the
4 governor shall consist of 1 representative of a labor organization selected by the governor from a
5 list of 3 nominees provided by the Massachusetts State Labor Council, AFL-CIO; 1
6 representative of business or industry selected by the governor with a demonstrated commitment
7 to education; 1 representative of parents of school children selected by the governor from a list of
8 3 nominees provided by the Massachusetts Parent Teachers Association; 2 representatives of
9 teachers, 1 selected by the governor from a list of 3 nominees offered by the Massachusetts
10 Teachers Association, and 1 selected by the governor from a list of 3 nominees offered by the
11 American Federation of Teachers/Massachusetts; and 4 additional members. No appointive
12 member of said board, except the teacher representatives, shall be employed by or receive
13 regular compensation from the department of elementary and secondary education, or from any

- 14 school system, public or independent, in the commonwealth, or serve as a member of any school
- 15 committee.