

HOUSE No. 317

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Alan Silvia

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 requiring hand sanitizer dispensers in schools.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Alan Silvia</i>	<i>7th Bristol</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>
<i>Paul A. Schmid, III</i>	<i>8th Bristol</i>
<i>Carole A. Fiola</i>	<i>6th Bristol</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. O'Day</i>	<i>14th Worcester</i>

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By Mr. Silvia of Fall River, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 317) of Alan Silvia and others for legislation to require hand sanitizer dispensers in schools. Education.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 484 OF 2015-2016.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act requiring hand sanitizer dispensers in schools.

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 2 of chapter 70B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting the following definition:

3 "Hand sanitizer dispenser", a wall-mounted receptacle that dispenses liquid chemical
4 germicide used for the purpose of cleaning hands and reducing the spread of germs.

5 Section 2. Section 3 of chapter 70B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
6 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after section 3(k), the following section:-

7 Section (k1/2). require that hand sanitizer dispensers be prominently mounted and
8 displayed in classrooms and near major entranceways of all public school facilities for the
9 purpose of reducing illness.