

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Juana B. Matias and Andres X. Vargas

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 Increasing Access to the Limited Liability Corporation Designation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Juana B. Matias</i>	<i>16th Essex</i>	<i>4/3/2018</i>
<i>Andres X. Vargas</i>	<i>3rd Essex</i>	<i>4/13/2018</i>

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By Representatives Matias of Lawrence and Vargas of Haverhill, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Juana B. Matias and Andres X. Vargas relative to certificates of organization for certain limited liability corporations. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act Relative to Increasing Access to the Limited Liability Corporation Designation.

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 12 of chapter 156C of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official
2 Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following subsection:-

3 (e) Notwithstanding subsection (d), for a limited liability company that has been certified
4 by the supplier diversity office pursuant to section 61 of chapter 7 as a veteran business
5 enterprise, minority business enterprise or women business enterprise as defined in section 58 of
6 said chapter 7, the fee for the filing of the certificate of organization required by subsection (a)
7 shall be \$250, and the fee for the filing of the annual report required by subsection (c) shall be
8 \$250.