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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

### Patrick M. O'Connor

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

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The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the safety of children in school buses.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
Patrick M. O'Connor	Plymouth and Norfolk	
Bruce E. Tarr	First Essex and Middlesex	2/22/2017

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# **SENATE** . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 1350

By Mr. O'Connor, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1350) of Patrick M. O'Connor for legislation relative to the safety of children in school buses. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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

An Act relative to the safety of children in school buses.

*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 7I	B of Chapter	90 of the	General L	aws is he	ereby ame	ended by	striking th	le

2 sentence beginning after "(8)" in line 84 and inserting thereof the following:-

3 "Every school bus shall be equipped with safety belts for the operator thereof and for

4 every seat that is designated to a pupil, and said operator and pupils shall securely fasten said

5 seat belts while the school bus is in motion"