

SENATE . . . . . No. 2266

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

William N. Brownsberger

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 to prevent bureaucratic overreach in the collection of student debt.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                          | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:                   |                   |
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| <i>William N. Brownsberger</i> | <i>Second Suffolk and Middlesex</i> |                   |
| <i>Eileen M. Donoghue</i>      | <i>First Middlesex</i>              | <i>12/20/2017</i> |
| <i>Paul R. Feeney</i>          | <i>Bristol and Norfolk</i>          | <i>12/20/2017</i> |
| <i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>       | <i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>        | <i>12/20/2017</i> |
| <i>James B. Eldridge</i>       | <i>Middlesex and Worcester</i>      | <i>12/20/2017</i> |
| <i>Eric P. Lesser</i>          | <i>First Hampden and Hampshire</i>  | <i>12/28/2017</i> |
| <i>Cynthia Stone Creem</i>     | <i>First Middlesex and Norfolk</i>  | <i>12/29/2017</i> |
| <i>Julian Cyr</i>              | <i>Cape and Islands</i>             | <i>1/2/2018</i>   |
| <i>Michael J. Barrett</i>      | <i>Third Middlesex</i>              | <i>1/8/2018</i>   |
| <i>Michael O. Moore</i>        | <i>Second Worcester</i>             | <i>1/8/2018</i>   |
| <i>Sonia Chang-Diaz</i>        | <i>Second Suffolk</i>               | <i>1/9/2018</i>   |
| <i>Patricia D. Jehlen</i>      | <i>Second Middlesex</i>             | <i>1/9/2018</i>   |
| <i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i>     | <i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i>         | <i>1/9/2018</i>   |

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By Mr. Brownsberger, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2266) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of William N. Brownsberger, Eileen M. Donoghue, Paul R. Feeney, Sal N. DiDomenico and other members of the Senate for legislation to prevent bureaucratic overreach in the collection of student debt. Higher Education.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act to prevent bureaucratic overreach in the collection of student debt.

*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 13 of Chapter 30A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out lines 42 to 81, inclusive.

3           SECTION 2. Section 61 of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby  
4 amended by striking out lines 82 to 123, inclusive.