## **SENATE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 230**

#### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Viriato M. deMacedo

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 protecting student witnesses.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Viriato M. deMacedoPlymouth and Barnstable

### **SENATE**

No. 230

By Mr. deMacedo, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 230) of Viriato M. deMacedo for legislation relative to protecting student witnesses. Education.

# [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 259 OF 2015-2016.]

#### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to protecting student witnesses.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- Subsection (e) of section 37H<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of chapter 71 of the General Laws, as appearing in the
- 2 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 66, the words "cross-examine
- 3 witnesses".