

SENATE . . . . . No. 235

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sal N. DiDomenico

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 relating to special education funding.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
Sal N. DiDomenico	Middlesex and Suffolk	
Mayor Martin J. Walsh	One City Hall Square, Suite 500, Boston, MA	
Edward F. Coppinger	10th Suffolk	
Daniel Cullinane	12th Suffolk	
Kevin G. Honan	17th Suffolk	
Daniel J. Hunt	13th Suffolk	
Daniel J. Ryan	2nd Suffolk	
Steven Ultrino	33rd Middlesex	1/23/2017
Barbara A. L'Italien	Second Essex and Middlesex	1/27/2017
Jonathan Hecht	29th Middlesex	1/30/2017
Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.	28th Middlesex	1/30/2017
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester	2/1/2017

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 235) of Sal N. DiDomenico, Mayor Martin J. Walsh, Edward F. Copping, Daniel Cullinane and other members of the General Court for legislation relating to special education funding. Education.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relating to special education funding.

*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 5A of chapter 71B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in subsection (c), the figure “4,” wherever it  
3 appears, and by inserting in place thereof the following figure- 3

4           SECTION 2. Said section 5A, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in  
5 subsections (a) and (f), the words “subject to appropriation.”