

HOUSE No. 1658

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John J. Mahoney

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 wages of private sector human service workers.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>John J. Mahoney</i> | <i>13th Worcester</i> | <i>1/17/2019</i> |
| <i>Michael J. Finn</i> | <i>6th Hampden</i> | <i>1/24/2019</i> |
| <i>Timothy R. Whelan</i> | <i>1st Barnstable</i> | <i>1/24/2019</i> |
| <i>Joseph A. Boncore</i> | <i>First Suffolk and Middlesex</i> | <i>1/24/2019</i> |
| <i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i> | <i>12th Hampden</i> | <i>1/25/2019</i> |
| <i>Steven Ultrino</i> | <i>33rd Middlesex</i> | <i>1/25/2019</i> |
| <i>James T. Welch</i> | <i>Hampden</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>José F. Tosado</i> | <i>9th Hampden</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>Tommy Vitolo</i> | <i>15th Norfolk</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>James J. O'Day</i> | <i>14th Worcester</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i> | <i>28th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>Mary S. Keefe</i> | <i>15th Worcester</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>Elizabeth A. Malia</i> | <i>11th Suffolk</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>Mike Connolly</i> | <i>26th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>Tackey Chan</i> | <i>2nd Norfolk</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>Thomas M. Stanley</i> | <i>9th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>Adrian C. Madaro</i> | <i>1st Suffolk</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>Peter Capano</i> | <i>11th Essex</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |

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| <i>Christina A. Minicucci</i> | <i>14th Essex</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>Brian W. Murray</i> | <i>10th Worcester</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>David M. Rogers</i> | <i>24th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>Jack Patrick Lewis</i> | <i>7th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>John C. Velis</i> | <i>4th Hampden</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>Natalie M. Higgins</i> | <i>4th Worcester</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Maria Duaine Robinson</i> | <i>6th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Daniel R. Cullinane</i> | <i>12th Suffolk</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i> | <i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Carmine Lawrence Gentile</i> | <i>13th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Michelle M. DuBois</i> | <i>10th Plymouth</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Marjorie C. Decker</i> | <i>25th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Marcos A. Devers</i> | <i>16th Essex</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Thomas A. Golden, Jr.</i> | <i>16th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Daniel M. Donahue</i> | <i>16th Worcester</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Denise Provost</i> | <i>27th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>James B. Eldridge</i> | <i>Middlesex and Worcester</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Carlos González</i> | <i>10th Hampden</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Brendan P. Crighton</i> | <i>Third Essex</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Daniel J. Hunt</i> | <i>13th Suffolk</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i> | <i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Jennifer E. Benson</i> | <i>37th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Patricia D. Jehlen</i> | <i>Second Middlesex</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Alan Silvia</i> | <i>7th Bristol</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Jay D. Livingstone</i> | <i>8th Suffolk</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Michael F. Rush</i> | <i>Norfolk and Suffolk</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i> | <i>12th Worcester</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf</i> | <i>17th Worcester</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Liz Miranda</i> | <i>5th Suffolk</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Paul Brodeur</i> | <i>32nd Middlesex</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>John F. Keenan</i> | <i>Norfolk and Plymouth</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Michael O. Moore</i> | <i>Second Worcester</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Denise C. Garlick</i> | <i>13th Norfolk</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>William J. Driscoll, Jr.</i> | <i>7th Norfolk</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Michael D. Brady</i> | <i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Paul W. Mark</i> | <i>2nd Berkshire</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Sean Garballey</i> | <i>23rd Middlesex</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Frank A. Moran</i> | <i>17th Essex</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>David Biele</i> | <i>4th Suffolk</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |

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| <i>Rebecca L. Rausch</i> | <i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Lindsay N. Sabadosa</i> | <i>1st Hampshire</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |

HOUSE No. 1658

By Mr. Mahoney of Worcester, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1658) of John J. Mahoney and others relative to increasing wages of private sector human service workers. Labor and Workforce Development.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act relative to increasing wages of private sector human service workers.

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

1 Chapter 7 Section 22N of the General Laws as appearing in the 2017 Official Edition is
2 hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:

3 Effective July 1, 2019, any social service program receiving funds under this process
4 shall first use not less than 75 percent of received funds to increase the hourly rate of all of its
5 employees to not less than twenty dollars per hour and shall report and verify its compliance with
6 this provision to the Secretary of Health and Human Services prior to expending funds for any
7 other purpose.