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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*James Arciero*

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*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 state assistance for funeral expenses.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>James Arciero</i>	<i>2nd Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2019</i>
<i>Mr. James Dolan</i>	<i>Dolan Funeral Home, 106 Middlesex Street, Chelmsford, MA 01863</i>	<i>1/18/2019</i>
<i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i>	<i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>

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By Mr. Arciero of Westford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3706) of James Arciero, James Dolan and Patrick M. O'Connor relative to state assistance for funeral expenses. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)  
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An Act relative to state assistance for funeral expenses.

*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 9 of chapter 117A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 10 and 11, the words “and final disposition does not
- 3 exceed \$3,500” and inserting in place thereof the following words:- establishment excluding
- 4 non-funeral establishment charges (cash advances) does not exceed \$7,000.