## HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 4108

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michael S. Day

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 establishing a hate crimes grant program.

## PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Michael S. Day	31st Middlesex	7/25/2019
Claire D. Cronin	11th Plymouth	7/26/2019
Jack Patrick Lewis	7th Middlesex	7/26/2019
Mindy Domb	3rd Hampshire	7/26/2019
Maria Duaime Robinson	6th Middlesex	7/26/2019
David Paul Linsky	5th Middlesex	7/26/2019
Andres X. Vargas	3rd Essex	7/26/2019
Mathew J. Muratore	1st Plymouth	7/26/2019
William C. Galvin	6th Norfolk	7/26/2019
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	7/30/2019
Natalie M. Blais	1st Franklin	7/30/2019
Tami L. Gouveia	14th Middlesex	7/30/2019
Stephan Hay	3rd Worcester	7/30/2019
John Barrett, III	1st Berkshire	7/30/2019
Michelle L. Ciccolo	15th Middlesex	7/30/2019
Brian M. Ashe	2nd Hampden	7/30/2019
Tram T. Nguyen	18th Essex	7/30/2019
Patricia A. Haddad	5th Bristol	7/30/2019

Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.	28th Middlesex	7/30/2019
Carmine Lawrence Gentile	13th Middlesex	7/30/2019
James Arciero	2nd Middlesex	7/30/2019
James K. Hawkins	2nd Bristol	7/31/2019
Christine P. Barber	34th Middlesex	7/31/2019
William J. Driscoll, Jr.	7th Norfolk	7/31/2019
Daniel Cahill	10th Essex	7/31/2019
Brian W. Murray	10th Worcester	7/31/2019
RoseLee Vincent	16th Suffolk	7/31/2019
Lori A. Ehrlich	8th Essex	7/31/2019
David M. Rogers	24th Middlesex	7/31/2019
Richard M. Haggerty	30th Middlesex	7/31/2019
Thomas P. Walsh	12th Essex	7/31/2019
Rebecca L. Rausch	Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex	7/31/2019
Steven S. Howitt	4th Bristol	7/31/2019
David K. Muradian, Jr.	9th Worcester	7/31/2019
Natalie M. Higgins	4th Worcester	8/1/2019
Jason M. Lewis	Fifth Middlesex	8/1/2019
Steven Ultrino	33rd Middlesex	8/1/2019
Carole A. Fiola	6th Bristol	8/1/2019
Gerard J. Cassidy	9th Plymouth	8/1/2019
Carolyn C. Dykema	8th Middlesex	8/1/2019
Denise C. Garlick	13th Norfolk	8/1/2019
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk	8/2/2019
John H. Rogers	12th Norfolk	8/2/2019
Ruth B. Balser	12th Middlesex	8/5/2019

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By Mr. Day of Stoneham, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Michael S. Day and others relative to the establishment of a grant program for the education and prevention of hate crimes and incidences of bias in public schools. Education.

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

An Act establishing a hate crimes grant program.

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

- Chapter 69 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 1P the following section:-
- 3 Section 1Q. The department of elementary and secondary education, in coordination with
- 4 the executive office of public safety and security and the Massachusetts governor's hate crimes
- 5 task force, shall establish a grant program, subject to appropriation, for the education and
- 6 prevention of hate crimes and incidences of bias in public schools. The grants shall be used for
- 7 education and prevention programs in school districts for the purposes of education, professional
- 8 development, prevention, or community outreach. The department shall develop guidelines
- 9 governing the implementation of this grant program. In awarding grants, priority shall be given
- 10 to communities with an identified need.