

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 511**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Hannah Kane***

*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 to allow for school districts to collect a fee associated with nonresident pupil transportation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	<i>1/11/2019</i>
<i>Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr.</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>
<i>William L. Crocker, Jr.</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>	<i>1/23/2019</i>
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/24/2019</i>
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/21/2019</i>
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>	<i>1/24/2019</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/14/2019</i>
<i>Stephan Hay</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>	<i>1/24/2019</i>
<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>	<i>1/29/2019</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>	<i>1/24/2019</i>
<i>David K. Muradian, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>	<i>1/23/2019</i>
<i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>	<i>1/22/2019</i>
<i>David Allen Robertson</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/22/2019</i>
<i>Michael J. Soter</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>	<i>1/22/2019</i>

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By Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 511) of Hannah Kane and others for legislation to allow for school districts to collect fees associated with nonresident pupil transportation. Education.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act to allow for school districts to collect a fee associated with nonresident pupil transportation.

*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 8A of Chapter 74 of the general laws, as appearing in the 2016  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the section and inserting in place thereof the  
3 following:-

4           Section 8A. A school district may charge a fee for transportation for students in grades 7-  
5 12 who attend an out of district vocational or agricultural school; said fee may not exceed the fee  
6 charged to students in grades 7-12 who attend an in district school, provided that no fee shall be  
7 required for students whose families are at or below 300% of the federal poverty level as defined  
8 by the federal Department of Health and Human Services.