

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 517**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Adrian C. Madaro*

*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 providing charter school access for local students.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Adrian C. Madaro</i>	<i>1st Suffolk</i>	<i>1/18/2019</i>

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 517**

By Mr. Madaro of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 517) of Adrian C. Madaro relative to providing priority enrollment for certain students at charter schools. Education.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

An Act providing charter school access for local students.

*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. The first sentence of subsection n of section 89 of chapter 71 of the General  
2 Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word  
3 “located” the following words:- , provided a first priority for enrollment shall be given to  
4 students residing within a 1 mile radius of a commonwealth charter school.

5 SECTION 2. Section 1 shall take effect on January 1, 2021.