

HOUSE No. 3333

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Natalie M. Higgins and Mike Connolly

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 removing barriers to justice in the workplace.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Natalie M. Higgins</i> | <i>4th Worcester</i> | <i>1/16/2019</i> |
| <i>Mike Connolly</i> | <i>26th Middlesex</i> | <i>3/18/2019</i> |
| <i>Mary S. Keefe</i> | <i>15th Worcester</i> | <i>1/23/2019</i> |
| <i>Jack Patrick Lewis</i> | <i>7th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/24/2019</i> |
| <i>Denise Provost</i> | <i>27th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/28/2019</i> |
| <i>Michael J. Barrett</i> | <i>Third Middlesex</i> | <i>1/29/2019</i> |
| <i>Rebecca L. Rausch</i> | <i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i> | <i>1/30/2019</i> |
| <i>Liz Miranda</i> | <i>5th Suffolk</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Tricia Farley-Bouvier</i> | <i>3rd Berkshire</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>James B. Eldridge</i> | <i>Middlesex and Worcester</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |
| <i>Bud L. Williams</i> | <i>11th Hampden</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>Julian Cyr</i> | <i>Cape and Islands</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |
| <i>James K. Hawkins</i> | <i>2nd Bristol</i> | <i>2/1/2019</i> |

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By Representatives Higgins of Leominster and Connolly of Cambridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3333) of Natalie M. Higgins, Mike Connolly and others relative to workplace discrimination complaints. The Judiciary.

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

An Act removing barriers to justice in the workplace.

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 5 of Chapter 151B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 182, the words “300 days” and inserting in
- 3 place thereof the following words: “6 years”.