

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2030**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Michael J. Barrett***

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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 accessible parking placards.**

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Michael J. Barrett*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Third Middlesex*

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By Mr. Barrett, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2030) of Michael J. Barrett for legislation relative to accessible parking placards. Transportation.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1901 OF 2017-2018.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to accessible parking placards.

*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 13 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as amended by chapter 97 of  
2 the Acts of 2018, is hereby amended by striking out, in the first sentence, the words "or any  
3 equipment", and inserting in place thereof the following words;- , including the display of a  
4 handicap identification placard during such operation, or any equipment.

5           SECTION 2. Said section 13 of said chapter 90, as amended by chapter 97 of the Acts of  
6 2018, is hereby amended by inserting after the first sentence the following sentence:-

7           The display of a handicap parking identification placard in such a manner as to interfere  
8 with or impede the proper operation of a vehicle shall be enforced by law enforcement agencies  
9 only when an operator of a motor vehicle has been stopped for an unrelated violation of the  
10 motor vehicle laws or some other offense.