

SENATE No. 310

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jason M. Lewis

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 increasing the Commonwealth's share of the education foundation budget.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>	
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>

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By Mr. Lewis, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 310) of Jason M. Lewis and Michael O. Moore for legislation to increase the Commonwealth's share of the education foundation budget. Education.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act increasing the Commonwealth's share of the education foundation budget.

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. Chapter 70 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition,
2 is hereby amended by adding the following section:

3 Section 3B. Target local share

4 (a) For the purposes of this section, the following word shall have the following meaning:

5 “Target local share”, means a municipality’s target local contribution as a percentage of
6 its municipal foundation budget.

7 (b) For the fiscal year 2020, the statewide target local share shall be 58 per cent.

8 SECTION 2. Section 3B of said Chapter 70 is hereby further amended by striking out
9 subsection b and inserting in place thereof the following:-

10 (b) For the fiscal year 2021, the statewide target local share shall be 57 per cent.

11 SECTION 3. Section 3B of said Chapter 70 is hereby further amended by striking out
12 subsection b and inserting in place thereof the following:-

13 (b) For the fiscal year 2022, the statewide target local share shall be 56 per cent.

14 SECTION 4. Section 3B of said Chapter 70 is hereby further amended by striking out
15 subsection b and inserting in place thereof the following:-

16 (b) For the fiscal year 2023, the statewide target local share shall be 55 per cent.

17 SECTION 5. Section 3B of said Chapter 70 is hereby further amended by striking out
18 subsection b and inserting in place thereof the following:-

19 (b) For the fiscal year 2024, the statewide target local share shall be 54 per cent.

20 SECTION 6. Section 2 shall take effect on January 1, 2020.

21 SECTION 7. Section 3 shall take effect on January 1, 2021.

22 SECTION 8. Section 4 shall take effect on January 1, 2022.

23 SECTION 9. Section 5 shall take effect on January 1, 2023.