SENATE No. 60

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Joan B. Lovely

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 cueing and supervision in the PCA program.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
Joan B. Lovely	Second Essex	
Patrick M. O'Connor	Plymouth and Norfolk	1/29/2019
Mike Connolly	26th Middlesex	1/31/2019
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	2/1/2019
Jack Patrick Lewis	7th Middlesex	2/1/2019
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester	5/28/2019
Tami L. Gouveia	14th Middlesex	9/24/2019

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By Ms. Lovely, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 60) of Joan B. Lovely, Patrick M. O'Connor, Mike Connolly, Kay Khan and others relative to cueing and supervision in the personal care attendant program. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 60 OF 2017-2018.]

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

An Act relative to cueing and supervision in the PCA program.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 12 of chapter 118E as so appearing, is hereby amended in the first
- 2 paragraph by inserting at the end thereof the following new sentence:-
- Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, the division
- 4 shall develop or amend any standards and regulations applicable to the personal care attendant
- 5 program to include as eligible members those individuals who are otherwise eligible for said
- 6 program, but who require supervision and cueing in order to perform two or more activities of
- 7 daily living.