

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Erika Uyterhoeven

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 to reform the charitable deduction.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Erika Uyterhoeven	27th Middlesex	1/20/2023
Lindsay N. Sabadosa	1st Hampshire	1/26/2023
James K. Hawkins	2nd Bristol	1/30/2023
David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf	17th Worcester	2/1/2023
Mike Connolly	26th Middlesex	2/4/2023
Danillo A. Sena	37th Middlesex	2/27/2023
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester	3/6/2023
Natalie M. Higgins	4th Worcester	3/16/2023
Steven Owens	29th Middlesex	5/2/2023
Carmine Lawrence Gentile	13th Middlesex	7/10/2023
Vanna Howard	17th Middlesex	1/25/2024
Manny Cruz	7th Essex	1/25/2024

By Representative Uyterhoeven of Somerville, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2964) of Erika Uyterhoeven and others for legislation to reform the charitable deduction. Revenue.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court (2023-2024)

An Act to reform the charitable deduction.

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 3 of chapter 62 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2020
2	Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 151 and 152, the words "shall not be
3	required to itemize their deductions in their federal income tax returns" and inserting in place
4	thereof the following words:- "may only claim this deduction in a tax year in which they do not
5	itemize their deductions in their federal income tax return".
6	SECTION 2. This Act shall apply to all tax years beginning after December 31, 2022.