SENATE No. 567

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Rebecca L. Rausch

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 maintaining a statewide car seat recycling program.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Rebecca L. RauschNorfolk, Worcester and Middlesex

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By Ms. Rausch, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 567) of Rebecca L. Rausch for legislation to maintain a statewide car seat recycling program. Environment and Natural Resources.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act maintaining a statewide car seat recycling program.

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 21H of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2020 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after section 7 the following section:-
- 3 Section 8. (a) The department shall maintain a program to provide for recycling of child
- 4 passenger restraints, as defined in section 1 of chapter 90.
- 5 (b) The department shall be authorized to: (i) implement state, local, or regional child
- 6 passenger restraint recycling programs; (ii) accept applications from municipalities for grants
- 7 and to award grants to assist in the development or establishment of local and regional child
- 8 passenger restraint recycling projects; and (iii) to partner or contract with private organizations to
- 9 assist in the development or establishment of a child passenger restraint recycling program.