

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2381**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Tackey Chan*

*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 creating accessible CNA training.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>	<i>1/14/2025</i>

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By Representative Chan of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2381) of Tackey Chan for legislation further regulating the training of certain employees of long term care facilities who provides nursing care. Public Health.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**

An Act relative to creating accessible CNA training.

*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 72W of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding after “The commissioner after consultation with  
3 the secretary of elder affairs and the board of registration shall establish standards for the training  
4 of nurses' aides which shall include a minimum of sixty hours of training;” the following:  
5 “provided that such training shall be delivered in languages other than English, including, but not  
6 limited to, Spanish, Chinese and Haitian Creole; provided further that the department shall  
7 determine in which languages the training shall be offered.”