

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3426**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

*Erika Uytterhoeven*

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*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 the open meeting law.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Erika Uytterhoeven</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/9/2025</i>

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By Representative Uyterhoeven of Somerville, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3426) of Erika Uyterhoeven for legislation to make the General Court subject to the open meeting law. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act relative to the open meeting law.

*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 18 of chapter 30A of the General Laws, is hereby amended in the definition of
- 2 "Public Body", by striking the phrase "the general court or the committees or recess commissions
- 3 thereof".