HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Marcus S. Vaughn

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 MSBA school funding.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:DATE ADDED:Marcus S. Vaughn9th Norfolk1/3/2025

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 606 OF 2023-2024.]

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

An Act relative to MSBA school funding.

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. The school building advisory board established in section 3A of chapter 2 70B of the General Laws shall commission a study of the funding mechanisms for primary, 3 secondary, technical, vocational and agricultural school facilities. The study shall examine the 4 feasibility of creating a funding formula that shall provide increased funding for technical 5 schools where the establishment and maintenance of such school facilities require additional 6 funds that are not necessary for the establishment and maintenance of primary and secondary 7 school facilities. 8 SECTION 2. The school building advisory board shall issue a report, including findings 9 and recommendations on a school facility funding formula that considers the increased costs

associated with school facility establishment and maintenance for technical, vocational and

- agricultural schools, with the clerks of the house of representatives and the senate and the joint
- committee on education no later than January 1, 2027.