SENATE . No. 153

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts PRESENTED BY: Joan B. Lovely 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 cueing and supervision in the PCA program.

PETITION OF:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS: NAME: Joan B. Lovely Second Essex

SENATE No. 153

By Ms. Lovely, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 153) of Joan B. Lovely for legislation relative to cueing and supervision in the personal care attendant program. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 107 OF 2023-2024.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to cueing and supervision in the PCA program.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- Section 12 of chapter 118E of the General Laws is hereby amended in the first paragraph
- 2 by inserting at the end thereof the following new sentence:-
- Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, the division
- 4 shall develop or amend any standards and regulations applicable to the personal care attendant
- 5 program to include as eligible members those individuals who are otherwise eligible for said
- 6 program, but who require supervision and cueing in order to perform two or more activities of
- 7 daily living.