SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sal N. DiDomenico

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 eliminating education funding inflation cap.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Sal N. DiDomenicoMiddlesex and Suffolk

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

An Act eliminating education funding inflation cap.

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 2 of Chapter 70 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition, is
- 2 hereby amended by striking out, in lines 93 to 96, the words "the lesser of: (i) the ratio of the
- 3 value of the implicit price deflator for state and local government purchases in the third quarter
- 4 of the prior fiscal year to its value in the third quarter of the fiscal year 2 years prior; and (ii)
- 5 1.045" and inserting in place thereof the following words: "the ratio of the value of the implicit
- 6 price deflator for state and local government purchases in the third quarter of the prior fiscal year
- 7 to its value in the third quarter of the fiscal year 2 years prior."