

# SENATE . . . . . No.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Rebecca L. Rausch***

*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 to get ICE out of families.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Rebecca L. Rausch*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Norfolk, Worcester and Middlesex*

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By Ms. Rausch, a petition (accompanied by bill) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Rebecca L. Rausch for legislation to get ICE out of families. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)  
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An Act to get ICE out of families.

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

1           Chapter 268 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2024 Official Edition, is hereby  
2 amended by adding the following section:-

3           Section 32C. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, a sworn officer  
4 of the United States immigration and customs enforcement agency, or a law enforcement agency  
5 or law enforcement officer working in collaboration or under contract with United States  
6 immigration and customs enforcement, shall not detain, delay, hold, or otherwise restrict the  
7 freedom to travel of any parent or caregiver of minor child without first: (a) submitting a written  
8 continuity of care plan for the minor child or children in the parent's or caregiver's custody to  
9 the department of children and families, in a form and manner to be determined by the  
10 department; and (b) receiving a written acknowledgement of receipt and approval of the written  
11 continuity of care plan from the department.