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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kevin J. Kuros

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 passage of the accompanying:

An Act relative to mandated reporters.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Kevin J. Kuros	*8th Worcester*
Joseph. DiPietro	*Protect Mass Children*
John P. Fresolo	*16th Worcester*
Bradford Hill	*4th Essex*
James J. Dwyer	*30th Middlesex*
Randy Hunt	*5th Barnstable*
Denise Provost	*27th Middlesex*
Todd M. Smola	*1st Hampden*
James J. Lyons, Jr.	*18th Essex*
Nicholas A. Boldyga	*3rd Hampden*
Kimberly N. Ferguson	*1st Worcester*
Ryan C. Fattman	*18th Worcester*
Keiko M. Orrall	*12th Bristol*
Daniel B. Winslow	*9th Norfolk*

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By Mr. Kuros of Uxbridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 126) of Kevin J. Kuros and others for legislation to expand the Department of Children and Families definition of mandated reporter. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE
HOUSE
, NO. *3902* OF 2011-2012.]

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An Act relative to mandated reporters.

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

SECTION 1. Section 21 of chapter 119 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking, in lines 50 and 51, the words "or (vi) the child advocate" and inserting in place thereof the following: (vi) the child advocate; or (vii) a state employee who, in his professional capacity, witnesses child abuse, including sexual abuse.