

HOUSE No. 3883

By Mr. Khoury of Lawrence, petition of Arthur M. Khoury and another for legislation to amend the law relative to uniform reciprocal enforcement of support. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Nine.

AN ACT AMENDING THE UNIFORM RECIPROCAL ENFORCEMENT OF SUPPORT ACT.

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 12 of chapter 273A of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended as follows by adding the following paragraph: —
3 Any order of the Court entered under the provisions of this
4 Chapter for the support of minor children of the respondent, may, in
5 the discretion of the Court, if equity and justice require it, include an
6 order that the respondent shall be entitled to see and/or take the said
7 minor child or exercise rights of visitation on such terms and
8 conditions as the Court may determine. If the petitioner fails
9 without cause to comply with provisions of said order or rights of
10 visitation, the Court after hearing, may reduce or vacate the order of
11 support.

