

SENATE . . . . . No. 168

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By Mr. Atkins, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 168) of Chester G. Atkins for legislation relative to the establishment of permissible and mandatory ages for school attendance. Education.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF PERMISSIBLE  
AND MANDATORY AGES FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

*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 1G of Chapter 15 of the General Laws is hereby
- 2 amended by striking the words "The Board shall establish the
- 3 permissible and mandatory ages for school attendance" and
- 4 substituting in place thereof the following words: "The Board
- 5 shall review and approve the permissible and mandatory ages
- 6 for school attendance as established by local school com-
- 7 mittees".

