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By Mrs. Alexander of Beverly, petition of Frances F. Alexander relative to establishing a tuition reimbursement plan for students of nursing. Education, Arts and Humanities.

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## **The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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AN ACT ESTABLISHING TUITION REIMBURSEMENT PLAN FOR NURSING STUDENTS IN THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

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

- 1 The board of regents of higher education are hereby authorized
- 2 and directed to establish a tuition reimbursement plan for nursing
- 3 students in the state system of higher education.
- 4 Said plan shall provide that graduate registered nurses who
- 5 practice the profession of nursing in an accredited hospital within
- 6 the commonwealth for five consecutive years shall be entitled to
- 7 full reimbursement of the tuition they have paid in the state system
- 8 of higher education up to a maximum of four years.
- 9 The board shall expend such funds on said plan as may be
- 10 appropriated therefor.

