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By Mr. Mofenson of Newton, petition of the Massachusetts Chapter, Americans for Democratic Action, Jonathan L. Healy, John A. Businger, Paul H. Guzzi, David S. Liederman, David J. Mofenson and Paul C. Menton for legislation to prohibit corporal punishment in the public schools. Education.

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## **The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

### **AN ACT TO FORBID CORPORAL PUNISHMENT IN THE SCHOOLS.**

*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 71 of the General Laws is amended by inserting
- 2 after section 37D the following: —
- 3 *Section 37E.* School Committees of cities and towns and
- 4 regional district school committees shall not authorize nor
- 5 permit corporal punishment to be administered to any pupil
- 6 under their jurisdiction by any teacher, principal, superinten-
- 7 dent, administrator, agent, employee, or person subject to their
- 8 jurisdiction.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

IN ANSWER TO A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

PASSED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS ON THE 12TH MARCH 1871

BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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