

By Mr. Travis of Rehoboth, petition of Philip Travis relative to the visitation rights of certain great grandparents. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and One.

AN ACT PROVIDING VISITATION RIGHTS FOR GREAT GRANDPARENTS.

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 1. Section 23 of chapter 119 of the General Laws, as
2 appearing in the 1996 Official Edition, is hereby amended by
3 inserting after the word "grandparents", in lines 17, 23, 24, 27 and
4 28, in each instance, the words: — and great grandparents.

1 SECTION 2. Section 26 of said chapter 119, as so appearing, is
2 hereby amended by inserting after the word "grandparents", in
3 lines 43, 51, 52, and 53, in each instance, the words: — and great
4 grandparents.

1 SECTION 3. Section 39D of said chapter 119, as so appearing,
2 is hereby amended by inserting after the word "grandparents", in
3 lines 7 and 16, in each instance, the words: — and great grand-
4 parents.

