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Name	Mary Porter
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Citizenship Affirmation	I am a U.S. Citizen
Residency Affirmation	I am a resident of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Statement of Intent	I intend to comply with and advance the policy established by this Act.
Statement of Interest	<p>As a 30 year member of the League of Women Voters in Massachusetts and New Jersey, I have participated in study, consensus, education and advocacy in support of citizen voting and informed civic engagement.</p> <p>As an attorney, I came to understand the growing and corrupting influence of money in American politics has distorted governance at all levels, and it cannot be effectively reversed or contained given the history of US Supreme Court jurisprudence and US Congressional efforts at reform. I concluded a US constitutional amendment is required to restore the critical role of citizen participation in our representative government.</p>
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Political Party Affiliation, if any, over the previous five years	Democratic
City or Town where you reside	BERLIN
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EMPLOYMENT

2008-Present: **Chief Intellectual Property Counsel**
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Cabot Corporation, Boston, MA

1995-2006: **Intellectual Property Counsel**
Saint-Gobain Corporation/Norton Company
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1994-1995: **Intellectual Property Counsel**
Textron Specialty Materials, Lowell, MA

1987-1994: **Patent Attorney**
National Starch and Chemical Corporation
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1985-1987: **Trial Attorney**
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1976-1982: **Food Scientist**
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EDUCATION

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