

HOUSE No. 01725

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David M. Torrissi

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act to exempt medicines from the sales tax.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

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David M. Torrissi

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14th Essex

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Joyce A. Spiliotis

.....
12th Essex

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By Mr. David M. Torrasi of North Andover, petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 01725) of Joyce A. Spiliotis and David M. Torrasi for legislation to exempt purchases of over-the-counter medicines and nutritional supplements on prescriptions from imposition of the sales tax.. Joint Committee on Revenue.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE
□ HOUSE
□ , NO. 2935 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act to exempt medicines from the sales tax.

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. Subsection (l) of section 6 of chapter 64H of the General Laws, as appearing in the
- 2 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended in line 171 by inserting after the phrase “sales of
- 3 insulin;” the following:— sales of over-the-counter medicines including brand name and generic
- 4 drugs and medicines and nutritional supplements on prescriptions of registered physicians