

HOUSE No. 2116

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Peter J. Koutoujian

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 relative to eliminating health disparities for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Peter J. Koutoujian	10th Middlesex
Tom Sannicandro	7th Middlesex
James R. Miceli	19th Middlesex
Barbara A. L'Italien	18th Essex
Ruth B. Balser	12th Middlesex
Robert L. Rice, Jr.	2nd Worcester
Steven M. Walsh	11th Essex
John P. Fresolo	16th Worcester
Matthew C. Patrick	3rd Barnstable
Brian A. Joyce	Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth
Katherine Clark	32nd Middlesex
Denis E. Guyer	2nd Berkshire
Robert P. Spellane	13th Worcester

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO ELIMINATING HEALTH DISPARITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES.

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 Executive Office of Health and Human Services shall work to eliminate health disparities among
- 2 disability populations, including those with intellectual and developmental disabilities.