

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 02353**

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Bradley H. Jones, Jr.***

*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 managed care organization.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>
<i>Donald F. Humason, Jr.</i>	<i>4th Hampden</i>
<i>Marc Lombardo</i>	<i>22nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Randy Hunt</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>
<i>F. Jay Barrows</i>	<i>1st Bristol</i>
<i>Shaunna O'Connell</i>	<i>3rd Bristol</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>
<i>Donald Wong</i>	<i>9th Essex</i>
<i>Daniel K. Webster</i>	<i>6th Plymouth</i>
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>
<i>Kevin Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>
<i>Ryan Fattman</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>
<i>Sheila Harrington</i>	<i>1st Middlesex</i>
<i>Kimberly Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>
<i>Matthew Beaton</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>
<i>Nicholas Boldyga</i>	<i>3rd Hampden</i>
<i>Steven L. Levy</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>

<i>David Vieira,</i>	<i>3rd Barnstable</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>
<i>George Ross</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>George N. Peterson, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>
<i>Bradford Hill</i>	<i>4th Essex</i>
<i>Elizabeth Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>
<i>Viriato Manuel deMacedo</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>

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By Mr. Jones of North Reading, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2353) of Ross and others relative to managed care organization Joint Committee on Public Health.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to managed care organization.

*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. Chapter 118E of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is  
2 hereby amended by adding the following new section:-  
3 "Section 63. The executive office of health and human services shall discontinue membership in  
4 the MassHealth fee-for-service program and primary care clinician plan, and shall begin  
5 enrolling all members meeting eligibility requirements as established pursuant to applicable  
6 federal and state law and regulation, and for whom the discontinuation would result in cost  
7 savings for the MassHealth program, into a Medicaid managed care organization that has  
8 contracted with the commonwealth to deliver such managed care services, in accordance with the  
9 enrollment and assignment processes for other eligible categories and at the appropriate levels of  
10 premium. The office shall submit a report to the joint committee on health care financing and the  
11 clerks of the house and the senate by June 30, 2012 detailing which members it has newly  
12 enrolled in a Medicaid managed care organization, which members it has maintained in the

13 MassHealth fee-for-service program and primary care clinician plan, and an actuarial  
14 justification for those members who have not been transferred to a Medicaid managed care  
15 organization.".