SENATE No. 649

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Frederick E. Berry, (BY REQUEST)

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to limitation of attorney's fees.

PETITION OF:

NAME: DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Stefano Picciotto 418 Lafayette St. Salem, MA 01970

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By Mr. Berry (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 649) of Stefano Picciotto for legislation to limit attorney's fees. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to limitation of attorney's fees.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Chapter 231 § 60I, is amended by adding the following language in the first
- 2 sentence:
- 3 60I.Limitation on Attorney Fees.
- 4 Attorney fees for services rendered on behalf of a claimant or defendant in a
- 5 medical negligence or any other personal injury case shall be fair and reasonable.