

HOUSE No. 1972

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Thomas A. Golden, 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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act adopting administrative simplification for hospital pharmacists.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Thomas A. Golden, Jr.</i>	<i>16th Middlesex</i>
<i>David M. Nangle</i>	<i>17th Middlesex</i>

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By Mr. Golden of Lowell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1972) of Thomas A. Golden, Jr., and David M. Nangle for legislation to adopt administrative simplification for hospital pharmacists. Public Health.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act adopting administrative simplification for hospital pharmacists.

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: Section 21 of Chapter 94C of the general laws, as most recently inserted by
2 Section 6 of Chapter 159 of the Acts of 2014, is hereby amended by striking the last sentence in
3 its entirety and inserting in place thereof the following:- “This section shall not apply to an
4 institutional pharmacy licensed pursuant to section 39I of chapter 112 if the sterile drug
5 preparation compounded by such pharmacy is to be administered to an individual who is
6 receiving active care and treatment within the institution.”

7 Section 2: Clause (6) of subsection (a) of Section 39I of Chapter 112 of the general laws,
8 as inserted by Section 18 of Chapter 159 of the Acts of 2014, is hereby amended by inserting
9 after the word “preparations.” at the end thereof the following new sentence:-“The provisions of
10 this subsection shall not apply to prescriptions that are administered to an individual who is
11 receiving active care and treatment within the institution.”