

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1235**

---

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Harriett L. Stanley*

*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 a health care mandate moratorium.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Harriett L. Stanley</i>	<i>2nd Essex</i>	<i>1/20/2011</i>

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1235**

---

By Ms. Stanley of West Newbury, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1235) of Harriett L. Stanley for legislation to impose a moratorium on health insurance-related mandates. Health Care Financing.

---

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

—————  
**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
—————

An Act relative to a health care mandate moratorium.

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

- 1           It shall be the policy of the general court to impose a moratorium on all new mandated
- 2 health benefit legislation until the later of July 31, 2012, or until the rate of increase in the
- 3 Consumer Price Index (CPI) for medical care services as reported by the United States Bureau of
- 4 Labor Statistics remains at zero or below zero for two consecutive years.