HOUSE No. 2362

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Louis L. Kafka

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 the definition of a pharmacy.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk	1/21/2011

FILED ON: 1/21/2011

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By Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2362) of Louis L. Kafka relative to regulating the licensing of pharmacies. Public Health.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2071 OF 2009-2010.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to the definition of a pharmacy.

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 112, section 39C of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2005
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting the word "infusion," in place of the word
- 3 fusionist, everywhere that the word fusionist appears in this section, and replacing the last
- 4 sentence of this section with the following sentence:
- 5 "For the purposes of this section, the term home infusion pharmacy shall mean a
- 6 pharmacy which dispenses pharmaceuticals, sterile intravenous drugs and nutritional products
- 7 ordered by physicians to patients in their homes and other similar institutional sites of care as
- 8 determined by the board."