# **SENATE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 983**

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

#### Jennifer L. Flanagan

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 MassHealth substance abuse services.

PETITION OF:

Name:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Jennifer L. Flanagan	
James B. Eldridge	

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By Ms. Flanagan, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 983) of Eldridge and Flanagan for legislation relative to MassHealth substance abuse services [Joint Committee on Mental Health and Substance Abuse].

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to MassHealth substance abuse services.

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 113 of Chapter 58 of the Acts of 2006 is hereby amended in the
- 2 first sentence by striking out after the words, "commissioner of mental health", the words, "for
- 3 all of the behavioral health benefits and inserting in place thereof the following words: "for all of
- 4 the mental health benefits and the commissioner of public health for all of the substance abuse
- 5 benefits"