HOUSE No. 1017

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mark J. Cusack

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 expanding the moral bond program to nonprofit acute care hospitals.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:DATE ADDED:Mark J. Cusack5th Norfolk

By Mr. Cusack of Braintree, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1017) of Mark J. Cusack for legislation to extend the moral bond program to nonprofit acute care hospitals. Health Care Financing.

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

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

- Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law or regulation to the contrary, effective January 1, 2016:
 - A. Paragraph (g) of section 2-10 of appendix to chapter 69 of the general laws, as added by section 21 of chapter 9 of the actions of 2011, is hereby amended in each location by deleting "community hospitals" and replacing it with "acute care hospitals".