# HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 1380

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

#### Paul R. Heroux

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 healthcare proxies.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Paul R. Heroux	2nd Bristol	1/18/2013
David Paul Linsky	5th Middlesex	
Ruth B. Balser	12th Middlesex	·
James J. O'Day	14th Worcester	
Dennis A. Rosa	4th Worcester	·
Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk	·
Timothy R. Madden	Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket	·
John H. Rogers	12th Norfolk	
Richard J. Ross	Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex	
James J. Dwyer	30th Middlesex	
Christine E. Canavan	10th Plymouth	
Michael D. Brady	9th Plymouth	
Thomas J. Calter	12th Plymouth	·
Thomas M. Stanley	9th Middlesex	·
Frank I. Smizik	15th Norfolk	·
John J. Lawn, Jr.	10th Middlesex	
Jonathan Hecht	29th Middlesex	
James M. Murphy	4th Norfolk	

Leonard Mirra	2nd Essex
Antonio F. D. Cabral	13th Bristol
Marjorie C. Decker	25th Middlesex
Jennifer E. Benson	37th Middlesex
Carolyn C. Dykema	8th Middlesex
Carl M. Sciortino, Jr.	34th Middlesex
Patricia A. Haddad	5th Bristol
Chris Walsh	6th Middlesex
Joseph F. Wagner	8th Hampden
Martin J. Walsh	13th Suffolk
Danielle W. Gregoire	4th Middlesex
Alice Hanlon Peisch	14th Norfolk
Harold P. Naughton, Jr.	12th Worcester
Kevin J. Kuros	8th Worcester
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex

By Mr. Heroux of Attleboro, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1380) of Paul R. Heroux and others relative to health care proxies. The Judiciary.

### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to healthcare proxies.

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

SECTION 2 of Chapter 201D, of the General Laws is hereby further amended by inserting at the end of section 2:- The proxy shall remain in effect and not be revoked due to

death of the principal until 36 months from the time of the principal has deceased.