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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

#### **Tom Sannicandro**

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 living at home with use of technology for people with disabilities and seniors.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Tom Sannicandro	7th Middlesex	
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	
Chris Walsh	6th Middlesex	

#### HOUSE DOCKET, NO. 1063 FILED ON: 1/16/2013

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By Mr. Sannicandro of Ashland, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 150) of Tom Sannicandro, Kay Khan and Chris Walsh relative to the use of technology by people with disabilities and seniors. Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities.

## [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2682 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to living at home with use of technology for people with disabilities and seniors.

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

- 1 The commonwealth shall require the use of technology to allow seniors and people with
- 2 physical, developmental or emotional disabilities to live in the community, by utilizing
- 3 technology to maximize their independence. the Executive Office of Health and Human Services
- 4 shall provide regulations for this purpose.