

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2050**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***William Smitty Pignatelli***

*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 acute-care medical-surgical bed counts.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>William Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>	
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	<i>2/1/2013</i>
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>	
<i>Jonathan D. Zlotnik</i>	<i>2nd Worcester</i>	
<i>Michael R. Knapik</i>	<i>Second Hampden and Hampshire</i>	
<i>Gailanne M. Cariddi</i>	<i>1st Berkshire</i>	
<i>Daniel A. Wolf</i>	<i>Cape and Islands</i>	

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By Mr. Pignatelli of Lenox, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2050) of William Smitty Pignatelli and others for legislation to eliminate antiquated hospital bed de-licensure rules. Public Health.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 606 OF 2011-2012.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to acute-care medical-surgical bed counts.

*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 51 of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the third paragraph in its entirety.