

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 3193

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Harold P. Naughton, Jr.*

*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 compensating a family member as caretaker.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Worcester</i>	<i>1/17/2013</i>

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By Mr. Naughton of Clinton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3193) of Harold P. Naughton, Jr. relative to authorizing family members to be compensated caretakers of traumatic brain injured veterans. Veterans and Federal Affairs.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 966 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen  
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An Act relative to compensating a family member as caretaker.

*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. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, a family  
2 member may be the designated paid caretaker for a member of the family with a traumatic brain  
3 injury received while in military service. The prerequisites for this designation by the  
4 department of public health and any other department shall include, but not be limited to,  
5 training and certification.