

HOUSE No. 2077

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John C. Velis

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 the Massachusetts online prescription monitoring program.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>John C. Velis</i> | <i>4th Hampden</i> | <i>1/13/2015</i> |

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By Mr. Velis of Westfield, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2077) of John C. Velis relative to the Massachusetts Online Prescription Monitoring Program. Public Health.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)

An Act relative to the Massachusetts online prescription monitoring program.

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

1 Pharmacists shall be included as participants in the Massachusetts Online Prescription
2 Monitoring Program and shall be automatically enrolled as a participant in the Massachusetts
3 Online Prescription Monitoring Program upon obtaining a new Massachusetts Controlled
4 Substance Registration or upon having their Massachusetts Controlled Substance Registration
5 renewed.

6 It shall be mandatory for Pharmacists to review the Massachusetts Online Prescription
7 Monitoring Program prior to dispensing prescriptions to an individual.