

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Louis L. Kafka

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 cancellation of certain health insurance policies.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk	1/13/2015
James E. Timilty	Bristol and Norfolk	2/4/2015
Thomas P. Kennedy	Second Plymouth and Bristol	9/5/2019
Walter F. Timilty	7th Norfolk	9/5/2019
Jeffrey N. Roy	10th Norfolk	9/5/2019
Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk	9/5/2019
Elizabeth A. Poirier	14th Bristol	9/5/2019
Elizabeth A. Malia	11th Suffolk	9/5/2019
Timothy R. Madden	Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket	1/26/2015
John W. Scibak	2nd Hampshire	1/22/2015
Barbara A. L'Italien	Second Essex and Middlesex	9/5/2019
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	9/5/2019
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex	2/3/2015
Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.	28th Middlesex	9/5/2019
Jennifer L. Flanagan	Worcester and Middlesex	9/5/2019
Marjorie C. Decker	25th Middlesex	9/5/2019
Michael O. Moore	Second Worcester	9/5/2019
Colleen M. Garry	36th Middlesex	2/3/2015

Theodore C. Speliotis

13th Essex

2/3/2015

HOUSE No. 881

By Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 881) of Louis L. Kafka and others relative to the cancellation of certain health insurance policies. Financial Services.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 930 OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act relative to the cancellation of certain health insurance policies.

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 100H of Chapter 175 is hereby amended by inserting after the

2 section, the following sentence: An insured individual age sixty-five or older can designate

3 someone else to be notified sixty days prior to the date of intended cancellation. If the company

4 fails to notify the individual designated by the insured, such policy shall remain in effect until

5 such notification or until ninety days after the insured reaches age sixty-five, whichever shall

6 first occur.