

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3515**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Linda Dean Campbell*

*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 requiring notation of do not resuscitate orders on electronic medical records.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Linda Dean Campbell</i>	<i>15th Essex</i>	<i>1/20/2017</i>

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By Mrs. Campbell of Methuen, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3515) of Linda Dean Campbell relative to requiring notation of do not resuscitate orders on electronic medical records. Public Health.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act requiring notation of do not resuscitate orders on electronic medical records.

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

1 Chapter 118I of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following section:-

2 Section 17. A physician or other health care provider who receives a patient with a  
3 disability's order to not resuscitate or medical order for life-sustaining treatment shall indicate  
4 such order on the patient's interoperable electronic health record.