

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 532**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Colleen M. Garry*

*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 long term disability insurance.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                   | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:     | DATE ADDED:      |
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| <i>Colleen M. Garry</i> | <i>36th Middlesex</i> | <i>1/19/2017</i> |

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By Miss Garry of Dracut, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 532) of Colleen M. Garry relative to long-term disability insurance. Financial Services.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 860 OF 2015-2016.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to long term disability insurance.

*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. Chapter 175 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition,  
2 is hereby amended, by inserting a new section:-

3           Section 110N. Notwithstanding any special or general law to the contrary, benefits due  
4 under a policy of insurance insuring against disability from injury or disease shall not be reduced  
5 by federal social security disability benefits received by insuree or spouse or other dependents.

6           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.