

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 604**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Michelle M. DuBois***

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*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 to increase MassHealth rates.**

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>

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By Ms. DuBois of Brockton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 604) of Michelle M. DuBois relative to MassHealth rates. Health Care Financing.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act to increase MassHealth rates.

*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 118 E, Section 13 is hereby amended by inserting at the  
2 end of the second sentence, after the words “ways and means” the following:  
3                   “; provided further that said rates shall be equal to or greater than the federal  
4 Medicare rates for the same services.”