

HOUSE No. 613

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 sustainability of public health dental hygienists through adequate reimbursements.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Louis L. Kafka</i> | <i>8th Norfolk</i> | <i>1/19/2017</i> |
| <i>Paul McMurtry</i> | <i>11th Norfolk</i> | <i>1/27/2017</i> |
| <i>Harriette L. Chandler</i> | <i>First Worcester</i> | |

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By Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 613) of Louis L. Kafka, Paul McMurtry and Harriette L. Chandler relative to public health dental hygienists. Health Care Financing.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1989 OF 2015-2016.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**
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An Act relative to the sustainability of public health dental hygienists through adequate reimbursements.

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 51 of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended in line 60 by striking out, “by Medicaid but except as
3 required by federal Medicaid law, shall not seek reimbursement from any other insurance or
4 third party payor.”