

SENATE No. 662

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Bruce E. Tarr

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 mandatory prescription drug coverage.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>Worcester and Norfolk</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Richard J. Ross</i>	<i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i>	<i>2/28/2017</i>

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By Mr. Tarr, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 662) of Bruce E. Tarr and Ryan C. Fattman for legislation relative to mandatory prescription drug coverage. Health Care Financing.

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In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)

An Act relative to mandatory prescription drug coverage.

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 of chapter 111M of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting, in line
2 46, at the end of the definition of the term “Creditable coverage” the following:-

3 Minimum creditable coverage, as defined by the board under the authority granted herein,
4 shall not require, in the case of individuals subject to chapter 58 of the acts of 2006, coverage for
5 prescription drugs.