

HOUSE No. 3824

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Gerard J. Cassidy and Michael D. Brady

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 appointment of a commissioner of health and human services in the City of Brockton.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Gerard J. Cassidy</i>	<i>9th Plymouth</i>	<i>4/25/2023</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Norfolk</i>	<i>4/26/2023</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>	<i>5/3/2023</i>
<i>Rita A. Mendes</i>	<i>11th Plymouth</i>	<i>5/3/2023</i>

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By Representative Cassidy of Brockton and Senator Brady, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3824) of Gerard J. Cassidy, Michael D. Brady and others (with the approval of the mayor and city council) that the city of Brockton be authorized to appoint a commissioner of public health for said city. Municipalities and Regional Government. [Local Approval Received.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act relative to the appointment of a commissioner of health and human services in the City of Brockton.

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. Notwithstanding any provision of section twenty-six B of chapter one
2 hundred and eleven of the General Laws to the contrary, the city of Brockton may appoint a
3 commissioner of public health who has control over the health and human services department,
4 and who shall either: (1) be the holder of a graduate degree in medicine, public health, public
5 administration or a related field with a least two years full time administrative experience in the
6 organization, management or delivery of public health or health care services, or (2) have any
7 equivalent combination of education and experience in health or health care.

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