SENATE No. 1385

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John F. Keenan

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 collaborative drug therapy management optimization.

PETITION OF:

NAME: John F. Keenan DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Norfolk and Plymouth

SENATE DOCKET, NO. 1780 FILED ON: 1/19/2023

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By Mr. Keenan, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1385) of John F. Keenan for legislation relative to collaborative drug therapy management optimization. Public Health.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 2492 OF 2021-2022.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to collaborative drug therapy management optimization.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Notwithstanding section 24 B1/2 of chapter 112 of the General Laws or any other general

2 or special laws to the contrary, collaborative drug therapy management may be allowed in

3 ambulatory care clinics licensed pursuant to section 51 of chapter 111 of the General Laws if: (i)

4 there is on-site or off-site supervision by the attending physician and a collaborating pharmacist;

5 and (ii) collaborative drug therapy management is approved by the ambulatory care clinic's

6 medical staff executive committee or designee or medical director or designee.