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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Patrick M. O'Connor

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 maintaining independent authority over nursing licensure in the commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
Patrick M. O'Connor	*First Plymouth and Norfolk*	
Paul R. Feeney	*Bristol and Norfolk*	*1/26/2023*
James B. Eldridge	*Middlesex and Worcester*	*2/13/2023*
John F. Keenan	*Norfolk and Plymouth*	*3/13/2023*
Bruce E. Tarr	*First Essex and Middlesex*	*3/27/2023*
Carmine Lawrence Gentile	*13th Middlesex*	*6/12/2023*
Pavel Payano	*First Essex*	*10/18/2023*

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By Mr. O'Connor, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 795) of Patrick M. O'Connor, Paul R. Feeney and James B. Eldridge for legislation to maintain independent authority over nursing licensure in the commonwealth. Health Care Financing.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. *237* OF 2021-2022.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to maintaining independent authority over nursing licensure in the commonwealth.

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

Section 14 of Chapter 13 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting the following section:-

(l) maintain independent control over the practice and licensure of nursing in the Commonwealth.