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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Marcus S. Vaughn***

*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 prescription eyewear.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Marcus S. Vaughn</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/14/2025</i>

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act relative to prescription eyewear.

*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 general or special law to the contrary, any licensed  
2 physician or registered optometrist registered to issue written prescriptions in the  
3 Commonwealth who are issuing a prescription for eyeglasses or contact lenses, shall include the  
4 patient’s pupillary distance on the script. No additional fees may be imposed for including such  
5 information on the script. The board of registration in optometry shall issue promulgations to  
6 carry out the requirements of this section.