

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1547**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Patricia D. Jehlen***

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*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 board of registration in naturopathy.**

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Patricia D. Jehlen*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Second Middlesex*

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By Ms. Jehlen, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1547) of Patricia D. Jehlen for legislation relative to the board of registration in naturopathy. Public Health.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1383 OF 2023-2024.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act relative to the board of registration in naturopathy.

*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. Clause (ii) of subsection (b) of section 267 of chapter 112 of the General  
2 Laws is hereby amended by striking out the words “controlled substance or prescription drug  
3 under chapter 94C” and by inserting in place thereof the words:- Schedule I-V controlled  
4 substance.

5           SECTION 2. Clause (iv) of subsection (a) of section 268 of said chapter 112 is hereby  
6 amended by inserting, after the word “equivalent”, the following words:- state exam that existed  
7 prior to 1987.

8           SECTION 3. Subsection (c) of section 269 of said chapter 112, as so inserted, is hereby  
9 amended by inserting, after the word “board”, the following words:- or a state exam that existed  
10 prior to 1987.