

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

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Paul R. Feeney***

*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 to provide diabetes prevention program benefits for GIC insurees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Paul R. Feeney*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Bristol and Norfolk*

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1661 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 to provide diabetes prevention program benefits for GIC insurees.

*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. Chapter 32A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after section 17R the following section:-

3 Section 17S. The commission shall provide to any active or retired employee of the  
4 commonwealth who is insured under the group insurance commission and is identified as  
5 someone with prediabetes those items and services furnished under a diabetes prevention  
6 program recognized as a National Diabetes Prevention Program as established by the federal  
7 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.