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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Peter J. Koutoujian**

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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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to eliminating health disparities for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

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PETITION OF:

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| James R. Miceli | 19th Middlesex |
| Barbara A. L'Italien | 18th Essex |

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to eliminating health disparities for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

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

The Executive Office of Health and Human Services shall work to eliminate health disparities among disability populations, including those with intellectual and developmental disabilities.