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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Robert A. O'Leary**

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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 Requiring Ambulatory Surgicenters and Clinical Laboratories to Serve MassHealth Enrollees.

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act Requiring Ambulatory Surgicenters and Clinical Laboratories to Serve MassHealth Enrollees .

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

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law or regulation to the contrary, the department of public health shall require as a condition of licensure of ambulatory surgery centers and clinical laboratories that such entities contract with the executive office of health and human services to participate as providers of MassHealth.