

**HOUSE . . . . . No.**

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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 the treatment of hemophilia.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

Peter J. Koutoujian

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

10th Middlesex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2155 OF 2007-2008.]

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TREATMENT OF HEMOPHILIA.

*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 118E of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section
- 2 17A the following section:-
- 3 Section 17B. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, prior authorization shall
- 4 not be required for any anti-hemophilic factor drugs prescribed for the treatment of hemophilia
- 5 and blood disorders.
- 6 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective upon its passage.