

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

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Stephen Kulik**

*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 ensuring access to health care services.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Stephen Kulik

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

1st Franklin

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine  
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## AN ACT ENSURING ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE SERVICES.

*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:** Subsection (b) Section 35 of chapter 118G of the General Laws, as inserted by  
2 section 15 of chapter 61 of the acts of 2007, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence to  
3 subpart (3)(a): “provided further that such reimbursable health services provided to uninsured and  
4 underinsured patients who are subsequently determined eligible for Medicaid or the commonwealth  
5 care health insurance program, established pursuant to chapter 118H, shall be eligible for  
6 reimbursement for services provided six months prior to the patient’s application to such programs.”

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