

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:
Kevin J. Murphy

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 providing a tax deduction for certain health care expenses.

PETITION OF:

<u>NAME:</u>	<u>DISTRICT/ADDRESS:</u>
Kevin J. Murphy	18th Middlesex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3047 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT PROVIDING A TAX DEDUCTION FOR CERTAIN HEALTH CARE EXPENSES.

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. Section 3 of Chapter 62 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the
2 following paragraph:—

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4 (16) An amount equal to the deduction for medical, dental and other expenses allowed under section
5 151(c) of the code for medical, dental and other expenses provided non-immediate family members. In no
6 event shall the aggregate of this deduction attributable to any one taxpayer exceed two thousand dollars.