

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kathi-Anne Reinstein

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 Eliminating Age Discrimination In The MassHealth Program.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Kathi-Anne Reinstein	16th Suffolk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT ELIMINATING AGE DISCRIMINATION IN THE MASSHEALTH PROGRAM.

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

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4 SECTION 1. Section 12 of chapter one hundred and eighteen E is hereby amended by adding at the end
5 thereof, the following new language:

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7 --The Division shall ensure that the income and asset criteria for individuals over age 65 shall be no
8 stricter than the income and asset eligibility for disabled individuals under age 65 as of July 1, 2008.

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