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### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

#### Denise Provost

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:
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex
Benjamin Swan	11th Hampden
Christopher G. Fallon	33rd Middlesex
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk
Sarah K. Peake	4th Barnstable
Anne M. Gobi	5th Worcester
Dennis A. Rosa	4th Worcester
Stephen L. DiNatale	3rd Worcester
Bradford Hill	4th Essex
Stephen Kulik	1st Franklin
James R. Miceli	19th Middlesex
William C. Galvin	6th Norfolk
Patricia D. Jehlen	Second Middlesex
Tom Sannicandro	7th Middlesex
Paul W. Mark	2nd Berkshire
Thomas J. Calter	12th Plymouth
Denise Andrews	2nd Franklin
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex

Carl M. Sciortino, Jr.	34th Middlesex
Chris Walsh	6th Middlesex
Thomas M. Stanley	9th Middlesex
Kenneth I. Gordon	21st Middlesex
Jennifer E. Benson	37th Middlesex
Thomas P. Conroy	13th Middlesex
Theodore C. Speliotis	13th Essex
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By Ms. Provost of Somerville, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1049) of Denise Provost and others for legislation to eliminate age discrimination in the Masshealth Program. Health Care Financing.

# [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE

□ HOUSE
□ , NO. 2779 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act eliminating age discrimination in the MassHealth Program.

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 12 of chapter one hundred and eighteen E is hereby amended by 2 adding at the end thereof, the following new language:
- 3 -- The Division shall ensure that the income and asset criteria for individuals over age 65
- 4 shall be no stricter than the income and asset eligibility for disabled individuals under age 65 as
- 5 of July 1, 2012.