

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1193**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Daniel J. Ryan*

*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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to testing for Factor V Leiden.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Daniel J. Ryan</i>	<i>2nd Suffolk</i>	<i>2/17/2021</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>	<i>2/24/2021</i>

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By Mr. Ryan of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1193) of Daniel J. Ryan and Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr. relative to testing for Factor V Leiden. Financial Services.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1097 OF 2019-2020.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to testing for Factor V Leiden.

*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 47W of Chapter 175, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition, is  
2 hereby amended by adding at the end of subsection (a), the following new clause:-

3 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary before anyone is able to be  
4 prescribed any pharmacological contraceptive methods a blood test to screen for Factor V Leiden  
5 (FVL) shall be performed