

HOUSE No. 1380

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul R. Heroux

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 relative to healthcare proxies.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Paul R. Heroux</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>David Paul Linsky</i>	<i>5th Middlesex</i>
<i>Ruth B. Balsler</i>	<i>12th Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. O'Day</i>	<i>14th Worcester</i>
<i>Dennis A. Rosa</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>Timothy R. Madden</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>
<i>John H. Rogers</i>	<i>12th Norfolk</i>
<i>Richard J. Ross</i>	<i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>
<i>Christine E. Canavan</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>9th Plymouth</i>
<i>Thomas J. Calter</i>	<i>12th Plymouth</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>
<i>Frank I. Smizik</i>	<i>15th Norfolk</i>
<i>John J. Lawn, Jr.</i>	<i>10th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jonathan Hecht</i>	<i>29th Middlesex</i>
<i>James M. Murphy</i>	<i>4th Norfolk</i>

<i>Leonard Mirra</i>	<i>2nd Essex</i>
<i>Antonio F. D. Cabral</i>	<i>13th Bristol</i>
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>	<i>37th Middlesex</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Carl M. Sciortino, Jr.</i>	<i>34th Middlesex</i>
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>
<i>Joseph F. Wagner</i>	<i>8th Hampden</i>
<i>Martin J. Walsh</i>	<i>13th Suffolk</i>
<i>Danielle W. Gregoire</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>
<i>Alice Hanlon Peisch</i>	<i>14th Norfolk</i>
<i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Worcester</i>
<i>Kevin J. Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>
<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>

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By Mr. Heroux of Attleboro, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1380) of Paul R. Heroux and others relative to health care proxies. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen
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An Act relative to healthcare proxies.

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 2 of Chapter 201D, of the General Laws is hereby further amended by
2 inserting at the end of section 2:- The proxy shall remain in effect and not be revoked due to
3 death of the principal until 36 months from the time of the principal has deceased.