

HOUSE No. 1979

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David M. Nangle

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 equitable board representation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

David M. Nangle

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

17th Middlesex

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By Mr. Nangle of Lowell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1979) of David M. Nangle relative to the membership of the Board of Registration in Nursing. Public Health.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act relative to equitable board representation.

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.

2 Section 13 of chapter 13 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the word
3 “17” and replacing it with the word “20” and by striking subsection (c)(2) of section 12 of
4 chapter 13 and replacing it with the following section:-

5 (2) five registered nurses in advanced practice, representing each clinical category of
6 advanced practice, each of whom must meet requirements for authorization as a registered nurse
7 in advanced practice as established by the board, at least three of whom is employed providing
8 direct patient care at the time of appointment;