HOUSE . No. 2143

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 prohibiting advertising by pharmaceutical companies.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Kathi-Anne Reinstein	16th Suffolk
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk
Mary E. Grant	6th Essex
Colleen M. Garry	36th Middlesex
Mark C. Montigny	Second Bristol and Plymouth

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 372 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT PROHIBITING ADVERTISING BY PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES.

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

Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, no pharmaceutical company shall advertise on any media in the commonwealth or by any other means.