

HOUSE No. 2177

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cleon H. Turner

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 amending the children’s medical security plan.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Cleon H. Turner	1st Barnstable
Cheryl A. Coakley-Rivera	10th Hampden
Jennifer L. Flanagan	Worcester and Middlesex
Bruce E. Tarr	First Essex and Middlesex
Matthew C. Patrick	3rd Barnstable
Jennifer M. Callahan	18th Worcester
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Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk
Susan C. Fargo	Third Middlesex
Mark C. Montigny	Second Bristol and Plymouth
Karen E. Spilka	Second Middlesex and Norfolk

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT AMENDING THE CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SECURITY PLAN.

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. Subsection (b)(5) of Section 10F of Chapter 118E, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended in line 59 by inserting after the words "guidelines" the following:-
- 3 "provided further that this section shall comply with Chapter 174B, subsection 4A and patients with
- 4 biologically-based disorders, as defined in Chapter 176B, subsection 4a, are to be provided with unlimited
- 5 mental health visits;"