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The Comm	onwealth of Massachusetts
	PRESENTED BY:
	Bruce J. Ayers
To the Honorable Senate and House of Repres Court assembled:	sentatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General
The undersigned legislators and/or ci	tizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:
	f health insurance payments from gross income for self employed individuals.
	PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Bruce J. Ayers	1st Norfolk

**HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 03195** 

By Mr. Ayers of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3195) of Ayers relative to providing for a tax deduction of health insurance payments from gross income for self employed individuals Joint Committee on Revenue.

## [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE

□ HOUSE , NO. 2678 OF 2009-2010.]

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to the deduction of health insurance payments from gross income for self employed individuals.

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. Chapter 62 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is
- 2 hereby amended by inserting at the end of section 2, subsection (a)(2) the following:—
- 3 (k) Amounts paid during the taxable year by a self-employed individual, as defined in section
- 4 401(c)(I)(B) of the Code, for insurance which constitutes medical care for the self-employed
- 5 individual, their spouse and dependents.