

HOUSE No. 3434

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Christopher M. Markey

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 organ donation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Christopher M. Markey

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

9th Bristol

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By Mr. Markey of Dartmouth, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3434) of Christopher M. Markey relative to providing for a negative check-off to becoming an organ or tissue donor upon license renewal . Transportation.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act relative to organ donation.

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 8 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition, is
2 hereby amended by striking out the final sentence of the first paragraph and inserting in place
3 thereof the following sentence: Each applicant shall become an organ donor or tissue donor upon
4 application or renewal thereof, including any online renewal, unless such applicant states in
5 writing said applicant’s desire not to be such donor.