

HOUSE No. 00590

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Stephen L. DiNatale

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 relative to HLTV 111 tests.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Stephen L. DiNatale</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Jennifer L. Flanagan</i>	<i>Worcester and Middlesex</i>
<i>Joyce A. Spiliotis</i>	<i>12th Essex</i>
<i>Cory Atkins</i>	<i>14th Middlesex</i>
<i>John V. Fernandes</i>	<i>10th Worcester</i>
<i>Martin J. Walsh</i>	<i>13th Suffolk</i>

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By Mr. DiNatale of Fitchburg, petition (accompanied by Bill, House, No. 00590) of Stephen L. DiNatale and others relative to mandatory blood tests of certain persons having blood contact. Joint Committee on Public Health.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE
□ HOUSE
□ , NO. 2043 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to HLTV 111 tests.

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 70F of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is
- 2 hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:-
- 3 Notwithstanding the above, if the person's blood has come in contact with another person who
- 4 may be infected thereby, such tests shall be performed and the result made known to the person
- 5 who may have been infected despite the inability or refusal of the person to give written consent.