

**SENATE . . . . . No. 01081**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Harriette L. Chandler*

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*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 to encourage the recycling of unused medications.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Harriette L. Chandler*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*First Worcester*

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By Ms. Chandler, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1081) of Chandler for legislation to encourage the recycling of unused medications [Joint Committee on Public Health].

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act to encourage the recycling of unused medications.

*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. The Department of Public Health shall established a program to allow for  
2 repositories to accept donated prescription drugs and medical supplies for the purpose of  
3 dispensing the donated drugs to certain individuals and organizations.

4           SECTION 2. The Department of Public Health shall promulgate regulations establishing  
5 the standards for said repositories and individuals and organizations .