SENATE . . . . No. 1211

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Patricia D. Jehlen

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 physician assistant non-competes.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
Patricia D. Jehlen	Second Middlesex	
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester	3/2/2021
Patrick M. O'Connor	Plymouth and Norfolk	3/4/2021
Anne M. Gobi	Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex	3/16/2021
Hannah Kane	11th Worcester	3/16/2021

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By Ms. Jehlen, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1211) of Patricia D. Jehlen, James B. Eldridge, Patrick M. O'Connor, Anne M. Gobi and others for legislation relative to physician assistant non-competes. Labor and Workforce Development.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court
(2021-2022)**

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An Act relative to physician assistant non-competes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1   Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby

2   amended by inserting after section 9K the following section:-

3   Section 9L. Any contract or agreement which creates or establishes the terms of a

4   partnership, employment, or any other form of professional relationship with a physician

5   assistant registered to practice as a physician assistant pursuant to section 9E which includes any

6   restriction of the right of such physician assistant to practice as a physician assistant in any

7   geographical area for any period of time after the termination of such partnership, employment

8   or professional relationship shall be void and unenforceable with respect to said restriction.

9   Nothing in this section shall render void or unenforceable any other provision of any such

10   contract or agreement.