

**SENATE . . . . . No. 607**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Jason M. Lewis*

*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 Health Policy Commission oversight of insurer transactions.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Jason M. Lewis*

*Kathleen O'Connor Ives*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Fifth Middlesex*

*First Essex*

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By Mr. Lewis, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 607) of Jason M. Lewis and Kathleen O'Connor Ives for legislation relative to Health Policy Commission oversight of insurer transactions. Health Care Financing.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to Health Policy Commission oversight of insurer transactions.

*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 first sentence of subsection (a) of Section 13 of Chapter 6D of the  
2 General Laws, as appearing in Section 15 of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 2014, is hereby amended  
3 by inserting after the word “organization” the following words:- “carrier or behavioral health  
4 manager” as defined by Chapter 176O.

5           SECTION 2. The second sentence of subsection (a) of Section 13 of Chapter 6D of the  
6 General Laws, as appearing in Section 14 of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 2014, by inserting after  
7 the word “to:” the following words:- “mergers or acquisitions of carriers or behavioral health  
8 managers”, as defined by Chapter 176O