

# SENATE . . . . . No. 551

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By Mr. LoPresti, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 551) of Michael LoPresti, Jr., and Michael J. Lombardi for legislation to require a non-binding question on the ballot regarding national health services. Health Care.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty.

### AN ACT REQUIRING A NON-BINDING QUESTION ON THE BALLOT REGARDING NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICES.

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

1 The state secretary shall place upon the ballot at the bien-  
2 nial state election in the current year the following ques-  
3 tion: —

4 “Shall the commonwealth of Massachusetts urge the United  
5 States Congress to enact a national health service program  
6 which: —

7 provides comprehensive care including preventive, curative  
8 and occupational health services; is community controlled,  
9 rationally organized, equitably financed, with no out-of-pocket  
10 charges; is universal in coverage and sensitive to the particu-  
11 lar health needs of elderly, working persons, women, minori-  
12 ties and disabled persons?”

