

SENATE . . . . . No. 851

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By Mr. Carrigan, a petition of the Mass State Pharmaceutical Assoc., by David J. Flaxer, Legislative Chairman, for legislation to provide for the printed name of practitioner to appear on hospital or clinic prescription blanks. Social Welfare.

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*The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

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In the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Two.

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AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE PRINTED NAME OF PRACTITIONER TO APPEAR ON HOSPITAL OR CLINIC PRESCRIPTION BLANKS.

*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 211B of Chapter 94 of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by adding: — Any physician, dentist, podiatrist, vet-  
3 erinarian, or any other practitioner licensed to practice his  
4 profession in a hospital, outpatient department of a hospital, or  
5 clinic, shall, when writing a prescription upon a prescription  
6 blank of such hospital, outpatient department, or clinic, affix  
7 above his signature on such prescription, a rubber stamp bear-  
8 ing his printed name.

