

By Mr. LoPresti, a petition (accompanied by resolutions, Senate, No. 345) of Michael LoPresti, Jr., David P. Graham, Alfred E. Saggese, Jr., Barbara E. Gray, Michael J. Barrett, Peter A. Vellucci and Thomas C. Norton for the adoption of resolutions urging the Congress of the United States to hold public hearings in Massachusetts in nineteen hundred and eighty-seven on a national health program. Federal Financial Assistance.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Seven.

RESOLUTIONS URGING CONGRESS TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS IN MASSACHUSETTS IN 1987 ON A NATIONAL HEALTH PROGRAM.

1 *Whereas*, The voters of the commonwealth of Massachusetts
2 passed a nonbinding referendum on November 4, 1986 urging
3 Congress to enact a national health program, and

4 *Whereas*, Approximately sixty-seven per cent of Massachusetts
5 voters were in favor of the referendum,

6 *Resolved*, Therefore, that the General Court of the common-
7 wealth of Massachusetts urges key members of Congress who are
8 responsible for health care legislation in America to hold two or
9 more public hearings in the commonwealth during 1987 in order to
10 receive testimony concerning the goals set forth in the Massachu-
11 setts national health care referendum and how and when they can
12 be achieved, whether nationwide or in the form of interim state-
13 wide demonstration projects launched with federal financial
14 support.

Mr. J. [Name] of [State] presented a bill for the relief of [Name], which was read twice and referred to the Committee on [Committee Name].

THE SENATE

SENATE OF THE STATE OF [State]

REPORT OF THE SENATE

ON THE [Title of Bill]