

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 5017

By Mr. Silvia of Fall River, petition of Charles E. Silvia for legislation to limit in-patient hospital services for recipients of Medicaid to a forty day period. Health Care.

## **The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

### AN ACT LIMITING MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT FOR IN-PATIENT HOSPITAL STAYS TO 40 DAYS.

*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 6 of chapter 118E of the General Laws, as most recently
- 2 amended by section 182 of chapter 351 of the acts of 1981, is hereby
- 3 amended by adding the following paragraph: —
- 4 Inpatient hospital services shall be reimbursable only to the ex-
- 5 tent of forty days per year.

