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By Mr. Hynes of Marshfield, petition of Frank M. Hynes for legislation to prohibit employers from reducing or cancelling health care benefits to subscribers or employees. Insurance.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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AN ACT PROHIBITING EMPLOYERS FROM REDUCING OR CANCELLING  
HEALTH CARE BENEFITS TO SUBSCRIBERS OR EMPLOYEES.

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

- 1 Chapter 175 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting after section 108F the following section: —
- 3 Section 108G. No employer, insured or self-insured, shall
- 4 reduce, cancel or eliminate any health care benefits due to such
- 5 employee contracting or incurring a serious illness. “Serious ill-
- 6 ness” for purposes of this section shall be determined by the com-
- 7 missioners of insurance after consultation with the department of
- 8 public health and competent medical authority.

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The first part of the book

The first part of the book is divided into two main sections. The first section deals with the general principles of the subject, while the second section deals with the specific details of the subject. The first section is divided into three parts, and the second section is divided into four parts. The first part of the first section deals with the basic concepts of the subject, while the second part deals with the more advanced concepts. The first part of the second section deals with the basic details of the subject, while the second part deals with the more advanced details. The first part of the third section deals with the basic details of the subject, while the second part deals with the more advanced details. The first part of the fourth section deals with the basic details of the subject, while the second part deals with the more advanced details.

The second part of the book is divided into three main sections. The first section deals with the general principles of the subject, while the second section deals with the specific details of the subject. The first section is divided into two parts, and the second section is divided into three parts. The first part of the first section deals with the basic concepts of the subject, while the second part deals with the more advanced concepts. The first part of the second section deals with the basic details of the subject, while the second part deals with the more advanced details. The first part of the third section deals with the basic details of the subject, while the second part deals with the more advanced details.

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