

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 971**

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By Mr. Mariano of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 971) of Ronald Mariano for legislation to further regulate the renewal of licenses for certain health insurance plans. Financial Services.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Ronald Mariano**

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the licensure of health plans.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Ronald Mariano

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

3rd Norfolk

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3933 OF 2007-2008.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE LICENSURE OF HEALTH PLANS.

*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 14 of chapter 176G of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is
- 2 hereby amended by striking out the second paragraph and inserting in place thereof the
- 3 following:— A license granted to a health maintenance organization pursuant to this section
- 4 shall be renewed every two years. The fee for such renewal, in an amount determined by the
- 5 commissioner, shall be no less than \$1,000.