

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

House of Representatives, November 6, 2017

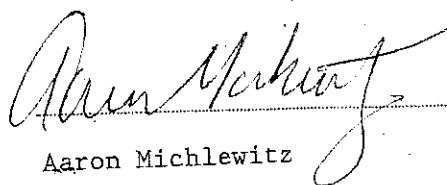
The committee on ~~Financial Services~~ Financial Services
to whom was referred the ~~petition (accompanied by~~ bill (House, No. 4009) ~~, House, No. 536~~)

~~By Representatives Haddad of Somerset and Scibak of South Hadley, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 536) of Patricia A. Haddad and others relative to advancing contraceptive insurance coverage, Financial Services.~~

John W. Scibak

bill (House, No. 4009)

REPORT recommending that the ~~bill/resolve~~ accompanying ~~said petition~~ ought to pass. [Representative Dooley of Norfolk dissents].


Aaron Michlewitz

For the Committee.

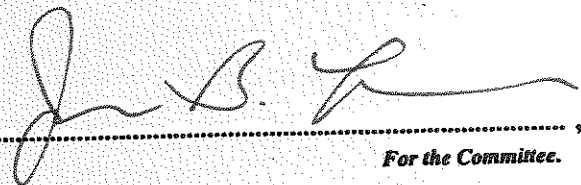
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Senate, NOV 06 2017

The committee on Financial Services, to whom
was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 499) of

Harriette L. Chandler, Robert M. Koczera,
Jennifer E. Benson, Sarah K. Peake and other members of the General
Court for legislation relative to women's health and economic equity;

REPORT recommending that the bill ~~2204~~ accompanying said petition ought
to pass. (accompanying bill, Senate, No. 2204) (Representative
Dooley of Norfolk dissenting)


For the Committee.

SENATE No. 2204

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

SENATE, Monday, November 6, 2017

The committee on Financial Services to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 499) of Harriette L. Chandler, Robert M. Koczera, Jennifer E. Benson, Sarah K. Peake and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to women's health and economic equity,- reports the accompanying bill (Senate, No. 2204).

For the committee,
James B. Eldridge

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act relative to advancing contraceptive coverage and economic security in our state (ACCESS).

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 1. Chapter 32A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after section 27 the following section:

3 Section 28. (a) Any coverage offered by the commission to any active or retired
4 employee of the commonwealth insured under the group insurance commission shall provide
5 coverage for all of the following services and contraceptive methods:

6 (1) all Food and Drug Administration ("FDA")-approved contraceptive drugs,
7 devices and other products; provided that coverage shall not be required for male condoms or
8 FDA-approved oral contraceptive drugs with no therapeutic equivalent. The following apply:

9 (i) Where the FDA has approved one or more therapeutic equivalents of a
10 contraceptive drug, device, or product, the Commission is not required to include all such
11 therapeutically equivalent versions in its formulary, as long as at least one is included and
12 covered without cost-sharing and in accordance with this section; and

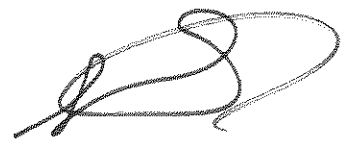
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House of Representatives, November 8, 2017

The committee on **WAYS AND MEANS**, to whom was referred the

relative to
Bill advancing contraceptive coverage and economic security in our state (House,
No. 4009) (ACCESS)

REPORT recommending that the same ought to pass. ^{Representative} ~~Dissenting~~ Dooley of Norfolk ^{dissents}.



Jeffrey Sánchez, Chairman
For the Committee

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Senate, November 13, 2019 .

The committee on Ways and Means, to whom was committed the

House Bill relative to advancing contraceptive coverage and economic security in our state (House, No. 4009)

REPORT recommending that the same ought ~~XXX~~ to pass.

with an amendment striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text of Senate document numbered 2210 (also based on Senate, No. 2204); and

by inserting before the enacting clause the following emergency preamble:-

"Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to provide forthwith contraceptive coverage and economic security in the commonwealth, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and convenience."

Karen E. Apilko

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For the committee.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

SENATE, Monday, November 13, 2017

The committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the House Bill relative to advancing contraceptive coverage and economic security in our state (ACCESS) (House, No. 4009) (also based on Senate, No. 2204),-- reports, recommending that the same ought to pass with an amendment striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text of Senate document numbered 2210; and by inserting before the enacting clause the following emergency preamble:- "Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to provide forthwith contraceptive coverage and economic security in the commonwealth, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and convenience."

For the committee,
Karen E. Spilka