

SENATE NO. 628

AN ACT RELATIVE TO PREVENTING DISCRIMINATION AGAINST CERTAIN HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS

*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. Section 15(i) of chapter 176O of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official
2 Edition, shall be amended by inserting the following sentence at the end thereof:-
3 “If any carrier, including a dental or vision carrier, offers health care, dental care, or vision care
4 benefits, said carrier shall contract with health care professionals, dental professionals and vision care
5 professionals in a manner which will provide an equal proportion of representation of each duly
6 licensed provider type regardless of geographic location.”