

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN
SECRETARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH

Worcester SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of *Oakham* in the County of Worcester

GREETING:

In the name of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs, to meet at the Oakham Town Hall

In said town on **TUESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2018** from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the State Primary for the candidates of political parties for the following offices:

**SENATOR IN CONGRESS.....FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL.....FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
SECRETARY OF STATE.....FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
TREASURER AND RECEIVER GENERAL.....FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
AUDITOR.....FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS.....SECOND DISTRICT
COUNCILLOR.....SEVENTH DISTRICT
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT.....WORCESTER DISTRICT
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT....FIFTH WORCESTER DISTRICT
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.....MIDDLE DISTRICT
CLERK OF COURTS.....WORCESTER COUNTY
REGISTER OF DEEDS.....WORCESTER DISTRICT
REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE.....PATHFINDER**

QUESTION 1: LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives on or before May 2, 2018?

SUMMARY

This proposed law would limit how many patients could be assigned to each registered nurse in Massachusetts hospitals and certain other health care facilities. The maximum number of patients per registered nurse would vary by type of unit and level of care, as follows:

- In units with step-down/intermediate care patients: 3 patients per nurse;
- In units with post-anesthesia care or operating room patients: 1 patient under anesthesia per nurse; 2 patients post-anesthesia per nurse;