

Reauthorization for the Task Force on the NY Health Act

Whereas the PSC DA authorized the Social Safety Net Committee to establish, as a DA Special Committee, a Task Force on the NY Health Act (DA Minutes, May 21, 2020, III E), and

Whereas the crisis in healthcare insurance coverage is ongoing and efforts to address it through privatization and givebacks continue unabated, and

Whereas the recent agreement between NYC and the Municipal Labor Committee to move all municipal retirees from Medicare/Senior Care to Medicare Advantage is only the most recent example of same, and

Whereas the PSC is actively engaged in educating its members about these ominous developments and building resistance, and

Whereas the PSC Constitution requires DA Special Committees to be reauthorized annually, therefore

Be it resolved that the DA approves such reauthorization for the 2021-22 year.

Submitted by the PSC Social Safety Net Committee