

RESOLUTION #1

Introduced by: Atlantic County Medical Society
Cape May County Medical Society

Subject: **Collective Bargaining Should Be Allowed by New Jersey
Physicians**

Referred to: Reference Committee

1 Whereas, insurers, hospitals and payors have had increased dominance in controlling health
2 care delivery and patient care; and

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5 Whereas, physicians are not able to effectively negotiate with insurers under the present
6 messenger model; and

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8 Whereas, private physicians in other countries enjoy collective bargaining rights while
9 delivering quality health care to their citizens; and

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11 Whereas, and to allow public, private, and independent doctors, under prescribed
12 circumstances, to engage in collective bargaining; now therefore be it

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14 RESOLVED, that MSNJ sponsor and/or support state and federal legislation which allows
15 private and/or self-employed doctors to engage in collective bargaining with insurers and
16 payors.