## **HOUSE**

. No. 1836

## The Commonwealth of Alassachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Nine

An Act relative to workers compensation..

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 10 of Chapter 152 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting after subsection (4)(c) the following:-
- 3 (d) If a conciliator is unable to resolve employee's initial claim at the conciliation, it shall
- 4 be referred to the industrial accident board for conference to be heard on the same day by a judge
- 5 assigned. The parties, by agreement, may request a continuance of this conference date.