

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 871**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand Nine**  
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An Act relative to Uninsured Motorist Coverage Benefits..

*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. Paragraph (2) of section 113L of chapter 175 of the General Laws as  
2 appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence and  
3 by inserting in place thereof the following sentence:-

4 For the purpose of said coverage, if the policyholder or obligor elects to purchase the  
5 coverage described in this paragraph, the term “uninsured motor vehicle” shall also include  
6 protection of persons insured thereunder who are legally entitled to recover damages from  
7 owners or operators of insured motor vehicles, trailers of semitrailers, whose policies or bonds  
8 are insufficient in limits of liability subject to the terms of the policy.