The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Nine

An Act relative to non-network ambulance service reimbursement ..

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. Chapter 176D of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after Section 3B the following new section:
- 3 Section 3C. Payers have the following requirements for reimbursement
- 4 for non-network ambulance service licensed pursuant to MGL c. 111C:
- Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, no insurance company, employee
- 6 benefit trust, self-insurance plan, or other entity which is obligated to reimburse the individual or
- 7 to pay for him or on his behalf the charges for the services rendered by a non-network licensed
- 8 ambulance service shall pay those benefits to the individual when the claim form submitted to
- 9 such entity clearly indicates that the individual's rights to those benefits have been assigned to
- 10 the licensed ambulance service.