

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2418**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Tackey Chan***

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to expenses incurred in defense against unfair labor practices.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>	<i>1/20/2011</i>
<i>Raymond McGrath</i>	<i>159 Burgin Parkway Quincy, MA 02169</i>	<i>1/20/2011</i>

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By Mr. Chan of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2418) of Tackey Chan and Raymond McGrath relative to expenses incurred in defense against unfair labor practices. Public Service.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1130 OF 2009-2010.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act relative to expenses incurred in defense against unfair labor practices.

*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. Section 15 of Chapter 150E of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1990  
2   Official Edition, is amended by adding a new paragraph after line 22 as follows:— Any labor  
3   organization who has incurred expense in successfully challenging an unfair labor practice or  
4   any other violation of this chapter, and who has engaged an attorney for such challenge shall be  
5   reimbursed for such reasonable expenses.