

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Ronald Mariano

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 for achieving insurance responsibility.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Ronald Mariano	3rd Norfolk	
Martha Coakley	Attorney General	
Robert M. Koczera	11th Bristol	
Jason M. Lewis	Fifth Middlesex	
Cory Atkins	14th Middlesex	
James R. Miceli	19th Middlesex	
Thomas M. Stanley	9th Middlesex	

By Mr. Mariano of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1496) of Ronald Mariano and others relative to the penalties for certain violations of the workers' compensation insurance law. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 468 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act for achieving insurance responsibility.

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 25C of chapter 152 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended in subsection (5), by striking out in the first sentence the
- 3 words, "a fine of not more than one thousand five hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not
- 4 more than one year, or both", and inserting in place thereof the following:- imprisonment in the 5 state prison for not more than 5 years or by imprisonment in jail for not less than 6 months nor
- 6 more than 2 1/2 years or by a fine of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$10,000, or by both such
- 7 fine and imprisonment
- 7 fine and imprisonment.