

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 870**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Edward F. Coppinger*

*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 continuing education of insurance producers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Edward F. Coppinger</i>	<i>10th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/16/2013</i>
<i>Harriette L. Chandler</i>	<i>First Worcester</i>	
<i>Denise C. Garlick</i>	<i>13th Norfolk</i>	

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By Mr. Coppinger of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 870) of Edward F. Coppinger, Harriette L. Chandler and Denise C. Garlick relative to the continuing education of insurance producers. Financial Services.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 300 OF 2011-2012.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to continuing education of insurance producers.

*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 177E of chapter 175 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after subsection E the following subsection:-

3           The active annual membership by an individual insurance producer in The National  
4 Association of Financial Advisors-Massachusetts may be approved for up to three hours per year  
5 of continuing insurance education: Provided, that not more than nine hours of continuing  
6 insurance education may be awarded to an individual insurance producer for membership in the  
7 organization during a thirty-six month reporting period. Credit for continuing insurance  
8 education pursuant to this subdivision may only be awarded to individual insurance producers  
9 who are required to complete at least 45 hours of continuing education per 36 month reporting  
10 periods.