

HOUSE No. 3263

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Carolyn C. Dykema

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 unemployment insurance notices.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/16/2015</i>
<i>Paula Vosburgh</i>	<i>42 North Mill Street Hopkinton, MA 01748</i>	<i>1/16/2015</i>

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By Ms. Dykema of Holliston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3263) of Carolyn C. Dykema and Paula Vosburgh relative to unemployment insurance notices. Labor and Workforce Development.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act relative to unemployment insurance notices.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 151A is hereby amended by inserting after section 6 the following section:-

2 Section 6 ½. (a) Any employing unit that hires an individual performing services exempt
3 from employment, pursuant to section 6, shall notify the individual that he or she may not be
4 eligible for benefits under this chapter based on such services.

5 (b) An employing unit shall provide the notice of potential ineligibility to the individual
6 at the time of hire, in writing.

7 (c) An employing unit’s compliance with the notice requirements of this section shall not
8 affect an individual's eligibility for benefits.

9 (d) For the purposes of this subsection, “employing unit” shall mean a partnership, firm,
10 association, trust, trustee, estate, joint stock company, insurance company, corporation, or
11 governmental employer only.