

HOUSE No. 1898

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Christopher Hendricks

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 workers' compensation disfigurement benefits concerning scarring.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Christopher Hendricks</i>	<i>11th Bristol</i>	<i>1/5/2023</i>
<i>Lindsay N. Sabadosa</i>	<i>1st Hampshire</i>	<i>1/26/2023</i>
<i>Brian W. Murray</i>	<i>10th Worcester</i>	<i>1/30/2023</i>
<i>Antonio F. D. Cabral</i>	<i>13th Bristol</i>	<i>2/2/2023</i>

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By Representative Hendricks of New Bedford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1898) of Christopher Hendricks and others relative to workers' compensation disfigurement benefits concerning scarring. Labor and Workforce Development.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1990 OF 2021-2022.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act relative to workers' compensation disfigurement benefits concerning scarring.

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 36 of chapter 152 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended by striking out the words “or hands”, in line 82, and inserting in place thereof
- 3 the following words:- ,distally to the elbows, or distally to the knees.