

HOUSE No. 2111

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kenneth I. Gordon

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 amending the unemployment insurance law for workers with fluctuating work schedules.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Kenneth I. Gordon</i>	<i>21st Middlesex</i>	<i>1/10/2025</i>
<i>Lindsay N. Sabadosa</i>	<i>1st Hampshire</i>	<i>4/4/2025</i>
<i>Samantha Montaño</i>	<i>15th Suffolk</i>	<i>4/4/2025</i>
<i>Natalie M. Higgins</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>	<i>4/4/2025</i>
<i>David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf</i>	<i>17th Worcester</i>	<i>4/7/2025</i>
<i>Margaret R. Scarsdale</i>	<i>1st Middlesex</i>	<i>5/9/2025</i>
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/11/2025</i>

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By Representative Gordon of Bedford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2111) of Kenneth I. Gordon relative to unemployment insurance for workers with fluctuating work schedules. Labor and Workforce Development.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**

An Act amending the unemployment insurance law for workers with fluctuating work schedules.

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 of chapter 151A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition,
2 is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 343-344, the words “reported for the highest quarter”
3 and inserting in place thereof the following words:-

4 wages reported for the highest quarter, and provided further, that if such deeming renders
5 the individual ineligible for unemployment benefits, the amount shall be one twenty-sixth of the
6 total wages reported in the two quarters.