

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2237

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

***Peter V. Kocot***

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*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 passage of the accompanying:

An Act relative to manslaughter.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Peter V. Kocot*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*1st Hampshire*

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By Mr. Kocot of Northampton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2237) of Peter V. Kocot relative to the fine for manslaughter by a construction company. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1491 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven  
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An Act relative to manslaughter.

*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 13 of chapter 265 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:- A corporation that  
3 commits manslaughter in connection with or as a result of any construction shall be punished by  
4 a fine of not more than \$1,000,000.”