

HOUSE No. 3209

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John P. Fresolo

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 an employer's first report of injury notices of insured employee.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

John P. Fresolo

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

16th Worcester

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By Mr. Fresolo of Worcester, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3209) of John P. Fresolo relative to the privacy of public records concerning reports of injuries of insured employees of public agencies and authorities of the Commonwealth. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2989 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to an employer's first report of injury notices of insured employee.

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

1 Clause Twenty-sixth, paragraph (c) of section 7 of chapter 4 of the General Laws, as
2 appearing in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out paragraph (c) lines 140
3 to 142 and inserting in place thereof the following new paragraph:—

4 (c) personnel and medical files or information; the notice of injury furnished to the
5 division of administration, the employee and insurer by an employer as required by section 6 of
6 chapter 152 of the General Laws that contains the name and nature of the business of the
7 employer, the name, age, sex and occupation of the injured employee, and the date, nature,
8 circumstances and cause of the injury and such additional infractions as the division shall
9 prescribe and said information shall also be exempt from the provisions of section 10 of chapter

10 66 of the General Laws; also any other materials or data relating to a specifically named
11 individual, the disclosure of which may constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;