

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 00285

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

***Robert M. Koczera***

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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 bill:

An Act providing insurance coverage to certain spouses.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Robert M. Koczera*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*11th Bristol*

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By Mr. Koczera of New Bedford, petition (accompanied by Bill, House, No. 00285) of Robert M. Koczera for legislation to prohibit insurance companies from denying policies for innocent spouses of criminals. Joint Committee on Financial Services.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION

SEE

☐ HOUSE  
☐ , NO. 943 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven  
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An Act providing insurance coverage to certain spouses.

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*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 96 of chapter 175 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition,

2   is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:-

3   No company shall deny coverage to an innocent spouse for any loss occasioned by the criminal

4   act of the other spouse.