

HOUSE No. 3693

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

William C. Galvin

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 relative to impartial medical examinations.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

William C. Galvin

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

6th Norfolk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO IMPARTIAL MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.

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. The 3rd paragraph of subsection (2) of section 11 A of chapter 152 of the General
2 Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after the 1st sentence,
3 the following sentences:- The claimant or employee shall have the right to record or videotape the
4 examination process at his own expense, to choose the particular method of recording or videotaping and
5 shall be permitted to introduce same into evidence at the hearing. The claimant shall be advised of these
6 rights by the department or its representative in writing.