

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 00707**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Peter J. Koutoujian*

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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 relative to the liability expenses for fire fighter and police officers injured in the line of duty..

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Peter J. Koutoujian*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*10th Middlesex*

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By Mr. Koutoujian of Waltham, petition (accompanied by [legType], House, No. 00707) of Peter J. Koutoujian relative to the liability for medical expenses of fire fighters or police officers injured in the line of duty

Joint Committee on Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
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 , NO. 3482 OF 2009-2010.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act relative to the liability expenses for fire fighter and police officers injured in the line of duty..

*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. Chapter 41 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2000 Official
- 2 Edition is amended in section 100 by adding at the end the following:?
- 3 Notwithstanding the above provisions of this section, payments for medical expenses incurred
- 4 due to injuries suffered in the line of duty shall be made at the normal and reasonable rate paid
- 5 by health insurance carriers and not reduced to the rates paid pursuant to Chapter 152 of the
- 6 General Laws.