

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1021**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*James T. Welch*

*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 workers compensation insurance.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*James T. Welch*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Hampden*

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By Mr. Welch, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1021) of James T. Welch for legislation relative to workers compensation insurance. Labor and Workforce Development.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 899 OF 2013-2014.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to workers compensation insurance.

*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 5 of Chapter 152 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition,  
2 is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof the following:- “; provided further, that  
3 notwithstanding any general or special law, rule, or regulation to the contrary, any employer  
4 conducting business in the Commonwealth for fewer than twenty (20) days per calendar year  
5 which can produce proof of workers compensation insurance considered valid in any state of the  
6 United States of America, shall be deemed to be in compliance with all requirements relative to  
7 the provision of workers compensation insurance in the commonwealth.”