

SENATE No. 157

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Brian A. Joyce

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 liability insurance for licensed site professionals.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Brian A. Joyce

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth

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By Mr. Joyce, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 157) of Brian A. Joyce for legislation relative to liability insurance for licensed site professionals. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 110 OF 2011-2012.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act relative to liability insurance for licensed site professionals.

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 21A is hereby amended by inserting after section 19J the following
2 section titled “Mandatory Liability Insurance”:-Section 19K: Any professional licensed by the
3 Board as an authorized hazardous waste site cleanup professional must carry liability insurance
4 in an amount no less than \$100,000. The Board shall suspend any hazardous waste site cleanup
5 professional who is operating without said insurance until said professional is covered by
6 liability insurance.

7 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect January 1, 2017.