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By Mr. Di Vitto of Milford, petition of William P. Di Vitto and C. Henry Glovsky that payments of partial benefits under the Employment Security Law be liberalized. Labor and Industries.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Four.

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AN ACT LIBERALIZING THE PROVISION OF THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW RELATIVE TO THE PAYMENT OF PARTIAL BENEFITS.

*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 29 of chapter 151A of the General Laws,  
2 as amended, is hereby further amended by striking  
3 out subsection (b) and inserting in place thereof the  
4 following: —

5 (b) An individual in partial unemployment and  
6 otherwise eligible for benefits shall be paid (1) his  
7 full weekly benefit rate if his aggregate remuneration  
8 with respect to a week of partial unemployment is  
9 less than one half of his weekly benefit rate; or (2)  
10 shall be paid one half of his weekly benefit rate when-  
11 ever his aggregate remuneration with respect to a  
12 week of partial unemployment is one half or more but  
13 less than his weekly benefit rate. Said partial benefit  
14 shall be raised to the next highest dollar if it includes  
15 a fractional part of a dollar.

