

To accompany the petition of Edward L. Logan that members of the National Guard be included within the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act. Joint Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-Six.

An Act to provide for the Payment of Compensation to Members of the National Guard for Injuries received in the Service of the Commonwealth and for Death resulting from Such Injuries.

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 one hundred and fifty-
2 two of the General Laws is hereby amended by
3 adding the following new section: —
4 *Section 69A.* The commonwealth shall pay
5 to members of the national guard of Massachu-
6 setts who receive injuries arising out of and in
7 the course of their service, or, in case of death
8 resulting from such injuries, to the persons en-
9 titled thereto, the compensation required by this
10 chapter, except that, the average weekly wage
11 upon which compensation is based shall be the
12 average weekly wage of the member injured or
13 killed in the private employment he was engaged
14 in at the time of or next preceding such service.

15 In case such member has been engaged in no
16 remunerative employment during the twelve
17 months immediately preceding his injury the
18 compensation payable for incapacity resulting
19 from injury shall be the minimum provided by
20 this chapter for total incapacity.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its
2 passage.

