

HOUSE No. 1027

By Messrs. Spartichino of Cambridge and Feloney of Cambridge, petition of the Federation of State, City and Town Employees, Ind., for legislation relative to the payment of workmen's compensation benefits. Labor and Industries.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-One.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 152 of the General Laws is hereby amended by strik-
2 ing out section 29, as most recently amended by section 6 of
3 chapter 314 of the acts of 1953, and inserting in place thereof
4 the following section:—

5 *Section 29.* [No compensation shall be paid for any injury
6 which does not incapacitate the employee from earning full
7 wages for a period of at least seven days. If incapacity ex-
8 tends for a period of eight days or more, compensation shall be
9 paid from the day of injury, provided, that, except under sec-
10 tion thirty-five, no compensation shall be paid for any period
11 for which wages were earned.] **Compensation shall be paid**
12 **from the day of injury; provided, that, except under sec-**
13 **tion thirty-five, no compensation shall be paid for any**
14 **period for which any wages were earned.**

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