

HOUSE No. 191

By Mr. Condon of Boston, petition of James F. Condon for legislation relative to safety inspection under the workmen's compensation law. Labor and Industries.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO SAFETY INSPECTION UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT.

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 64 of chapter 152 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended to read as follows: — *Section 64.* The insurer shall
3 make and enforce reasonable rules and regulations for the
4 prevention of injuries on the premises or working places of
5 insured persons, and for this purpose inspectors of the insurer
6 shall have free access to all such premises or working places
7 during regular working hours. Insured persons or employees
8 thereof aggrieved by such rules or regulations may petition the
9 department of labor and industries for a review, and may
10 affirm, amend or annul the rule or regulation or direct the
11 insurer to take other reasonable and appropriate action as
12 respects such rules and regulations. However no person shall
13 have any right of action against the insurer its agents or
14 employees for any act or omission of such insurer or its agents
15 or employees as respects its loss prevention or inspection
16 activities other than for workmen's compensation benefits
17 payable under this chapter.

