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By Mr. Rogers of New Bedford, petition of George Rogers relative to the recovery of damages for personal injuries or death under the contributory negligence law. The Judiciary.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RECOVERY OF DAMAGES FOR PERSONAL INJURIES OR DEATH UNDER THE CONTRIBUTORY NEGLIGENCE 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 In all actions hereafter brought to recover damages for per-  
2 sonal injuries or death, the fact that the claimant or plaintiff  
3 may have been guilty of contributory negligence shall not bar a  
4 recovery, but the damages shall be determined by the jury in  
5 proportion to the amount of negligence attributable to such  
6 claimant or plaintiff.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL HISTORY OF CANADA

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The Constitution of Canada is the supreme law of the land. It is the foundation of the Canadian state and the source of the powers of the government. The Constitution is a living document that has evolved over time to meet the needs of a changing society. It is a testament to the values of democracy, freedom, and justice that have shaped the Canadian nation.