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By Mr. Tuttle of Framingham (by request), petition of Edward Carr for legislation to place upon the insurer the burden of proof as to cessation of incapacity in connection with employees injured in industrial accidents. Labor and Industries.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-Five.

An Act providing that the Burden of Proof be placed upon Insurers in their Claim for Cessation or Reduction of an Injured Employee's Incapacity.

*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 any case where compensation is being paid,
- 2 the burden of proving cessation or reduction of in-
- 3 capacity shall be upon the insurer.

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**The Constitution of the United States**

is the law of the land, and the rights of the people are secured by it.

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