

HOUSE No. 3429

By Mr. Donovan of Chelsea, petition of Robert Cohen and John F. Donovan, Jr., for legislation to provide a penalty for the failure by insurance companies to supply certain medical reports concerning motor vehicle accidents. Insurance.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PENALIZE MOTOR VEHICLE INSURERS WHO FAIL TO SUPPLY COPIES OF MEDICAL REPORTS WHEN REQUIRED TO DO SO.

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 11F of chapter 175 of the General Laws, as added
2 by chapter 369 of the acts of 1965, is hereby amended by
3 adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:—

4 Upon failure of such company to comply with the provis-
5 ions of this section, the insured shall be defaulted upon
6 motion of the plaintiff. Said default shall be removed if the
7 company shall thereafter file a copy of said report with the
8 clerk of court in which the case is pending and a copy thereof
9 forwarded to the plaintiff's attorney. The copy so filed in
10 court shall not be admissable in evidence by the plaintiff.

