

HOUSE No. 1713

By Mr. Early of Worcester, petition of the Massachusetts Public Employees, Council 41, AFSC&ME, AFL-CIO, and Joseph D. Early for legislation to provide that state employees shall not be permitted to work alone in plants where heavy equipment with moving parts is used or where power is generated or where electric current of six hundred volts or more is used or where noxious gases are present. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FURTHER FOR THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF
CERTAIN EMPLOYEES.

*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 149 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting after section 124 the following section:—
- 3 *Section 124A.* No employee of the commonwealth shall be
- 4 permitted to work alone in any plant where heavy equipment
- 5 with moving parts is used, or where power is generated, or
- 6 where electric current of six hundred volts or more is used, or
- 7 in a plant where noxious gases and vapors are present.

