

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 4745

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 21, 1995.

The committee on Public Service, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1373) of the Massachusetts Correction Officers Federated Union and Joan M. Menard for legislation to provide for injured on duty leave for officers of correctional facilities, reports recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 4745) ought to pass.

For the committee,

BYRON RUSHING.

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

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO COMPENSATION FOR INJURIES SUFFERED IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1     The fourth paragraph of section 58 of Chapter 30, as appearing  
2     in the 1992 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding after the  
3     word "custody", in line 19, the following:— or an employee who  
4     contracts from a patient or prisoner an infectious or contagious dis-  
5     ease which has been deemed by the Commissioner of Public Health  
6     to be inherent in the employment of such employee.