

By Mr. Moore, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 617) of Richard T. Moore for legislation to clarify deductions that can be made from private long term disability insurance plans. Financial Services.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT CLARIFYING DEDUCTIONS THAT CAN BE MADE FROM PRIVATE LONG TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE PLANS.

*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 1. Chapter 157 of the general laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby
- 2 amended, by inserting a new section:-
- 3 Section 110 L - Effect of federal social security disability benefit upon payment of benefits under
- 4 disability policy.
- 5 Notwithstanding any regulation, general or special law to the contrary, benefits due under a policy
- 6 of insurance insuring against disability from injury or disease shall not be reduced by federal social
- 7 security disability benefits received by insuree or spouse or other dependents.
- 8 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

