

**HOUSE . . . . . No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**William C. Galvin**

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to impartial medical examinations.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

William C. Galvin

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

6th Norfolk

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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## AN ACT RELATIVE TO IMPARTIAL MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.

*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. The 3rd paragraph of subsection (2) of section 11 A of chapter 152 of the General  
2 Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after the 1st sentence,  
3 the following sentences:- The claimant or employee shall have the right to record or videotape the  
4 examination process at his own expense, to choose the particular method of recording or videotaping and  
5 shall be permitted to introduce same into evidence at the hearing. The claimant shall be advised of these  
6 rights by the department or its representative in writing.