

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1423**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Mary S. Keefe*

*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 regarding workers compensation compliance and enforcement.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Mary S. Keefe*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*15th Worcester*

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By Ms. Keefe of Worcester, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1423) of Mary S. Keefe relative to the penalties for debarred contractors participating in certain contracts. The Judiciary.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act regarding workers compensation compliance and enforcement.

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

1 Amend Section 25C of Chapter 152 of the General Laws as appearing in the 2010 official  
2 edition:

3 (a) Any employer, contractor or subcontractor, or any officer or agent thereof who has  
4 been debarred under this section, who contracts or otherwise secures or participates in contract  
5 from which they are barred shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$250,000 or by  
6 imprisonment for not more than one year for a first offense, or by both such fine and  
7 imprisonment and for a subsequent willful offense a fine of not more than \$500,000, or by  
8 imprisonment for not more than two years, or by both such fine and such imprisonment.