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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

#### Peter V. Kocot

*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 manslaughter

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PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Peter V. Kocot1st Hampshire

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By Mr. Kocot of Northampton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2237) of Kocot relative to the fine for manslaughter by a construction company Joint Committee on the Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE O HOUSE , NO. 1491 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to manslaughter

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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.Section 13 of chapter 265 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official

2 Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:- A corporation that commits

3 manslaughter in connection with or as a result of any construction shall be punished by a fine of

4 not more than \$1,000,000."