

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 882**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**James Cantwell**

*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 surchargeable incidents.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

James Cantwell

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

4th Plymouth

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 973 OF 2007-2008.]

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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### AN ACT RELATIVE TO SURCHARGEABLE INCIDENTS.

*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 113B of chapter 175 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby  
2 amended by inserting after the 18<sup>th</sup> paragraph the following paragraph:-

3           In determining surchargeable incident types, the merit rating board shall establish the minimum amount of damage  
4 in the definition of a "Minor Accident" at \$1,000.