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*Department of*  
*Industrial Accidents*

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TO: COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, AND CLERKS OF CITIES AND TOWNS  
OF THE COMMONWEALTH

Gentlemen:

Your attention is directed to the provisions of Statutes 1927, Chapter 309, Section 12, amending General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 69, and reading as follows:

"The terms 'laborers, workmen and mechanics', as used in Sections 68 to 75, inclusive, shall include foremen, sub-foremen and inspectors of the Commonwealth or of any such County, City, Town or District, to such extent as the Commonwealth or such County, City, Town or District, acting respectively through the Governor and Council, County Commissioners, City Council or the qualified voters in a town or district meeting shall determine, as evidenced by a writing filed with the Department. (of Industrial Accidents)."

No writing, as required by the above amendment, has been filed with this Department by the since this amendment was adopted. If the amendment has been adopted, the fact must be evidenced by a writing filed with this Department.

While it might be inferred that since no writing has been filed, your unit of government has not accepted this amendment, this Department would be pleased to be informed definitely as to whether or not this amendment has been passed upon, and, if accepted, statement to that effect, together with specification as to the extent of the acceptance. In this connection, care should be taken that the acceptance is only to such extent as is provided in the amendment.

Very truly yours,

*Edward Doyle*  
Secretary