

By Mr. McGee of Lynn, petition of Thomas W. McGee for legislation to further regulate the power of the Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission to accept compromising offers relative to the suspension of licenses. Government Regulations.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Five.

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE POWER OF THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION TO ACCEPT AN OFFER IN COMPROMISE.

*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 23 of chapter 138 of the General Laws  
2 as amended by chapter 1009 of the acts of 1973 is hereby further  
3 amended by striking out the first sentence of the last paragraph  
4 and substituting therein the following: — The Commission shall  
5 accept from any licensee or holder of a certificate of compliance  
6 under this chapter an offer in compromise in lieu of suspension  
7 of a license or certificate of compliance previously suspended by  
8 the Commission.

1 SECTION 2. Said section 23 of said chapter 138 is hereby  
2 further amended by striking out the third sentence of the last  
3 paragraph and inserting in its place the following: — The fine in  
4 lieu of suspension shall be calculated in accordance with the  
5 following formula: Fifty per cent of the per diem net profit  
6 multiplied by the number of license suspension days.

