

HOUSE No. 815

By Mr. Ramsdell of Winchester, petition of O. A. Schlaikjer for legislation relative to conditional sales of motor vehicles, household furniture, jewelry and other household or personal effects. Legal Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-One.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CONDITIONAL SALES OF MOTOR VEHICLES, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, JEWELRY AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD OR PERSONAL EFFECTS.

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

1 Chapter two hundred and fifty-five of the General
2 Laws, as most recently amended by chapter five
3 hundred and nine of the acts of nineteen hundred
4 and thirty-nine, is hereby further amended by in-
5 serting after section thirteen G thereof the following
6 new section:—

7 *Section 13H.* The provisions of the foregoing
8 sections twelve, thirteen, thirteen A, thirteen B,
9 thirteen C, thirteen D, thirteen E, thirteen F and
10 thirteen G shall apply only to conditional sales to
11 individual inhabitants of Massachusetts of motor
12 vehicles, household furniture, jewelry and other house-
13 hold or personal effects sold, leased or transferred

14 under any contract, lease, receipt or other instru-
15 ment requiring the payment of sums aggregating two
16 thousand dollars or less on account of the purchase
17 price of the article or articles, the sale, lease or trans-
18 fer of which is thereby made, evidenced or affected,
19 and shall apply only to such contracts, leases, re-
20 ceipts and other instruments and to the rights, duties
21 and obligations of the parties thereto.