

SENATE No. 594

To accompany the petition of Chester A. Dolan, Jr., for legislation relative to the leasing by the city of Boston of space for an underground garage for the parking of motor vehicles and for a tunnel and underground passageway. Cities.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE LEASING BY THE CITY OF BOSTON OF SPACE FOR AN UNDERGROUND GARAGE FOR THE PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES UNDER BOSTON COMMON, CHARLES STREET AND THE PUBLIC GARDEN, OR ANY OF SAID PLACES, IN SAID CITY, INCLUDING A TUNNEL FROM COMMONWEALTH AVENUE AT ARLINGTON STREET CONNECTED THEREWITH AND AN UNDERGROUND PASSAGEWAY FROM SAID GARAGE TO TREMONT STREET.

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. Chapter 294 of the acts of 1946 is
2 hereby amended by inserting after section 2 the two
3 following sections: —

4 *Section 2A.* No private corporation mentioned
5 herein shall be assessed any tax upon any real estate,
6 garage, underground passageway or traffic tunnel of
7 which it is lessee hereunder or upon any structures or
8 facilities constructed under any construction contract
9 or lease while such lease is in force, the provisions of

10 any general or special law to the contrary notwith-
11 standing.

12 *Section 2B.* If any provision of this chapter shall
13 be held to be invalid, the remainder thereof shall not
14 be affected thereby.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its
2 passage.