

HOUSE No. 1419

By Mr. Lindstrom of Cambridge, petition of John B. Atkinson and another for legislation to provide for separate tax bills for the support of public schools. Taxation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Two.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR SEPARATE TAX BILLS FOR THE SUPPORT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

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. Notwithstanding the provisions of
2 chapters fifty-nine, sixty and sixty A of the General
3 Laws, and any other provisions of law, the assessors,
4 when committing the annual tax list with their war-
5 rant to the collector of taxes, shall make a separate
6 tax list and warrant for the amount to be raised by
7 taxation for the support of the public schools as re-
8 quired by chapter seventy-one of the General Laws
9 and notify the collector of the proportion which the
10 annual school appropriation as voted by the school
11 committee bears to the total sum to be raised by
12 taxation in said year, and also the amount of the
13 annual tax rate required therefor. The assessors shall
14 similarly notify the collector of the amount to be
15 raised by taxation in said year.

1 SECTION 2. The collector shall forthwith, in ac-
2 cordance with said chapter sixty and sixty A, after
3 receipt of such tax list, warrant, and said notice, send
4 to each person assessed, resident or non-resident, the
5 amount of his tax for the support of said schools.
6 Such tax bill shall be captioned "Annual School Bill."
7 The collector shall similarly send to each person as-
8 sessed under chapter fifty-nine, General Laws, the
9 amount of his tax bill to meet the amount required
10 for the balance of the total amount to be raised by
11 taxation in said year.