

# HOUSE . . . . No. 978

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By Mr. Ruether of Williamstown, petition of Richard A. Ruether that the Department of Public Works be authorized to construct a four-lane highway on Route 8 from Grove Street Bridge in the town of Adams to Four Corners in the city of Pittsfield. Highways and Motor Vehicles.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A FOUR-LANE HIGHWAY ON ROUTE 8 FROM A POINT NEAR THE GROVE STREET BRIDGE IN THE TOWN OF ADAMS TO A POINT APPROACHING THE FOUR CORNERS, SO CALLED, IN THE CITY OF PITTSFIELD.

*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. The department of public works is  
2 hereby authorized and directed to construct and main-  
3 tain a four-lane highway on Route 8 from a point near  
4 the Grove Street bridge in the town of Adams to a  
5 point approaching the Four Corners, so called, in the  
6 city of Pittsfield. For the purposes of this act, said  
7 department may expend such sums as may be appro-  
8 priated therefor.

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

By the House of Representatives, in conference with the Senate, on the report of the Committee on the Judiciary, on the bill (H. R. 10000) to amend the laws relating to the office of the United States Marshal, and for other purposes.

The Constitutionality of the Bill

Article III, Section 1, of the Constitution of the United States provides that the judicial power shall be vested in one Supreme Court and in such inferior Courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish.

The bill under consideration does not purport to create any new judicial office, nor does it purport to alter the powers or jurisdiction of any existing judicial office. It merely provides for the appointment of a certain number of United States Marshals, and for the removal of any of them who may be appointed, and for the appointment of a certain number of United States Marshals, and for the removal of any of them who may be appointed, and for the appointment of a certain number of United States Marshals, and for the removal of any of them who may be appointed.

- 1. Section 1. The jurisdiction of judges under the
- 2. judicial system shall be extended and shall
- 3. have a definite boundary or limit from a point that
- 4. the law prescribes, within the limit of which no
- 5. point representing the limit of power or extent in the
- 6. judicial system shall be placed for the purpose of the
- 7. department may extend such cases as may be appor-
- 8. tioned therefor.

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