

# HOUSE . . . . No. 1015

By Mr. McMorro of Boston, petition of John B. Hynes (mayor) that the city of Boston be authorized to prepare plans and specifications for the construction of a garage under Boston Common and the approaches thereto. Cities.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT EMPOWERING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO PREPARE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE GARAGE AUTHORIZED UNDER BOSTON COMMON AND THE APPROACHES THERETO.

*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 2 of chapter 294 of the acts of  
2 1946 is hereby amended by striking out, in the last sen-  
3 tence, the words "of the department of public works  
4 and of the transit commission of said city" and insert-  
5 ing in place thereof the words: — of the commissioner  
6 of public works of said city.

1 SECTION 2. Said section 2 is hereby further amended  
2 by adding at the end the following paragraph: —

3 For the purpose of inviting proposals for such con-  
4 tract and lease, said city acting as aforesaid is hereby  
5 authorized, anything in this act to the contrary not-  
6 withstanding, to prepare at its expense plans and speci-  
7 fications for the garage and approaches thereto includ-  
8 ing the underground passageway and, if it is to be in-  
9 cluded in such contract and lease, the two-lane traffic  
10 tunnel; provided, however, that if plans and specifica-  
11 tions are so prepared, the contract and lease shall re-

12 quire the lessee to reimburse the city for the cost thereof  
 13 simultaneously with the execution of such contract and  
 14 lease.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its pas-  
 2 sage.