

SENATE No. 713

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

RESOLVE AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION TO CONTINUE AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY RELATIVE TO THE EXTENSION OF THE METROPOLITAN WATER SYSTEM MAINS INTO THE COUNTIES OF PLYMOUTH AND BRISTOL.

1 *Resolved*, That the metropolitan district commission,
2 authorized and directed, under authority of chapter fifty-
3 four of the resolves of nineteen hundred and fifty-four,
4 to make a comprehensive investigation and study of the
5 advisability and feasibility of constructing, as part of the
6 metropolitan water system, extensions of its water-
7 distributing mains into the cities and towns of Plymouth
8 and Bristol counties, and of furnishing water so that
9 said cities and towns may be ensured an adequate supply
10 of water, is hereby authorized and directed to continue
11 said investigation and study. The commission shall
12 estimate the costs of making such extensions and of
13 furnishing such water, and shall submit a method of
14 payment therefor by such cities and towns, which shall
15 pay a fair share of the costs of such water, the costs of
16 extending said water mains, and of connections thereto.
17 Said commission may expend for the purposes of this
18 resolve such sums as may be appropriated therefor.
19 Said commission shall report to the general court the
20 results of its investigation and study and its recom-

21 mendations, if any, together with estimates of costs and
22 drafts of legislation necessary to carry said recommenda-
23 tions into effect, by filing the same with the clerk of the
24 senate on or before the fifteenth day of June in the cur-
25 rent year.