

HOUSE No. 1110

By Mr. Graham of Boston, petition of Joseph P. Graham that provision be made for the appointment of counsel in certain felony cases and providing compensation therefor. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL AND COMPENSATION IN FELONY CASES.

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 47 of chapter 277 of the General
2 Laws is hereby amended by striking out in line 1 the
3 word "capital" and inserting in place thereof the word:
4 — felony.

1 SECTION 2. Section 55 of said chapter 277 is hereby
2 amended by striking out in line 2 the word "murder"
3 and inserting in place thereof the words:— a felony
4 crime.

1 SECTION 3. Section 56 of said chapter 277 is hereby
2 amended by striking out in line 2 the word "murder"
3 and inserting in place thereof the words:— a felony
4 crime.

