

SENATE No. 276

To accompany the petition of Roger Keith that provision be made for the construction of a State agricultural and industrial building on the grounds of the Brockton Agricultural Society in the city of Brockton. State Administration.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-One.

An Act to provide for the Construction of a State Agricultural and Industrial Building on the Grounds of the Brockton Agricultural Society.

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. For the purpose of constructing
2 a suitable and adequate state building upon the
3 grounds of the Brockton Agricultural Society in
4 the city of Brockton, which will provide for the
5 eastern part of the commonwealth a state build-
6 ing similar to that provided for the western part
7 of the commonwealth at the Eastern States Ex-
8 position grounds at Springfield, there may be
9 expended under the direction of the chairman of
10 the commission on administration and finance
11 and the commissioner of agriculture, acting
12 jointly, such sum as may be appropriated by the
13 general court. All contracts for the construction

14 of said building shall be subject to approval by
15 the governor and council; but no contract or
16 expenditure shall be made or liability incurred
17 under this act until said society shall have given
18 to the commonwealth such conveyance or lease
19 of land suitable for the construction thereon of
20 such proposed building by instrument approved
21 by the attorney general and subject to such terms
22 and conditions as may be approved by the gover-
23 nor and council.

1 SECTION 2. The said building may be used
2 for the purpose of exhibiting both agricultural
3 and industrial products of the commonwealth,
4 but shall be under the supervision and control of
5 the state department of agriculture and shall be
6 maintained by said department at the expense
7 of the commonwealth.

