

SENATE No. 437

By Mr. Conte, a petition of John J. Conte for legislation to provide that land sold or leased by the Commonwealth shall be sold or leased only to the highest bidder at public auction. State Administration.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT LAND SOLD OR LEASED BY THE COMMONWEALTH SHALL BE SOLD OR LEASED ONLY TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Chapter 29 of the General Laws is hereby amended by in-
- 2 serting after section 37 the following section: —
- 3 *Section 37A.* All land sold or leased by the commonwealth,
- 4 other than land sold or leased to a charitable or veterans'
- 5 organization, shall be sold or leased to the highest responsible
- 6 bidder at public auction.

