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By Mr. Quinn, a petition of Philip A. Quinn for legislation to make a corrective change in the law relative to transportation of cattle. Agriculture.

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### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

#### AN ACT MAKING A CORRECTIVE CHANGE IN THE LAW RELATIVE TO TRANSPORTING CATTLE.

*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 129 of the General Laws is hereby amended by  
2 striking out section 26A, as most recently amended by chapter  
3 173 of the acts of 1941, and inserting in place thereof the  
4 following section: —

5 *Section 26A.* Whoever ships, drives or transports into the  
6 Commonwealth cattle to be used for dairy purposes, unless  
7 they have been inspected or passed as healthy by a veterinary  
8 inspector of the United States Department of Agriculture, Ani-  
9 mal Health Division, or a veterinarian of the state of origin  
10 authorized by the State and approved by said Animal Health  
11 Division and are accompanied by a certificate of health ap-  
12 proved by the proper livestock officials of the state of origin  
13 stating that each such animal six months of age or over was  
14 negative to an agglutination blood test for Bangs' abortion  
15 disease applied in accordance with rules and regulations made  
16 by the director and approved by the governor, shall be pun-  
17 ished by a fine of not more than two hundred dollars.

