

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 1157

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By Mr. Pressman of Chelsea, petition of Meyer Pressman and another that the Department of Public Works be authorized to improve certain streets in the vicinity of the Soldiers' Home in the city of Chelsea. Highways and Motor Vehicles.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO IMPROVE CERTAIN STREETS IN THE VICINITY OF THE SOLDIERS' HOME IN THE CITY OF CHELSEA.

*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. The department of public works, hereinafter  
2 called the department, is hereby authorized and directed to  
3 resurface, widen, reconstruct and otherwise improve the  
4 following streets in the city of Chelsea in the vicinity of the  
5 Soldiers' Home:— Crest avenue, Hillside avenue, Summit  
6 avenue, Clark avenue from Webster avenue to Crest avenue  
7 and Eleanor street from Broadway to Hillside avenue. For  
8 the purposes of this act, the department may expend such  
9 sum, not to exceed one hundred and twenty-five thousand  
10 dollars, as may hereafter be appropriated from the Veterans'  
11 Services Fund.

1 SECTION 2. Land or rights in land may be acquired for  
2 the purposes of this act by eminent domain under chapter  
3 seventy-nine by the department in behalf of the city of  
4 Chelsea. Any person whose property has been taken or in-  
5 jured by any act of the department may recover from the

6 city of Chelsea under chapter seventy-nine such damages  
7 therefor as he may be entitled to.

1 SECTION 3. After the work herein authorized shall have  
2 been completed, the streets shall be maintained and kept in  
3 good repair and condition by the city of Chelsea.