

HOUSE No. 1385

By Mr. Janas of Lowell, petition of John Janas relative to state reimbursement of cities and towns for transportation of school pupils. Education.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATING TO THE REIMBURSEMENT OF CITIES AND TOWNS
BY THE COMMONWEALTH FOR TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOOL PUPILS.

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

1 The first paragraph of section 7A of chapter 71 of the Gen-
2 eral Laws, as most recently amended by chapter 539 of the acts
3 of 1963, is hereby further amended by adding after the first sen-
4 tence the following two sentences:— The minimum distance
5 requirement of one and one half miles shall be waived in the
6 case of an emergency. An emergency shall be defined as any
7 extraordinary situation which in the opinion of the superin-
8 tendent of schools would seriously affect the school program
9 or the safety of the pupils.

