

SENATE . . . . . No. 1113

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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SENATE, May 29, 1968.

The committee on Bills in the Third Reading, to whom was referred the bill relative to the regulation of the conduct of a game or sport on Sunday (House, No. 4409), reports recommending that the same be amended by substituting therefor a new draft entitled "An Act permitting certain athletic games to be conducted and certain motion pictures to be exhibited on Sunday up to the hour of one o'clock ante Meridian," (Senate, No. 1113), and that, when so amended, the same will be correctly drawn.

For the committee,

OLIVER F. AMES.

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

AN ACT PERMITTING CERTAIN ATHLETIC GAMES TO BE CONDUCTED AND CERTAIN MOTION PICTURES TO BE EXHIBITED ON SUNDAY UP TO THE HOUR OF ONE O'CLOCK ANTE MERIDAN.

*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 4 of chapter 136 of the General Laws is hereby
- 2 amended by adding the following paragraph: —
- 3 (8) Sections two and three and this section shall not apply
- 4 to an athletic game or contest, or to a motion picture, for
- 5 which a charge in the form of the payment of money or other
- 6 valuable consideration is made for the privilege of being
- 7 present thereat, conducted, presented or exhibited on Sunday
- 8 prior to one o'clock ante meridian; provided, that said athletic
- 9 game or contest was commenced before the hour of nine
- 10 o'clock post meridian on Saturday and it was necessary to
- 11 continue said game after midnight on Saturday in order to
- 12 complete said game, and, in the case of any such exhibition of
- 13 a motion picture that said motion picture is exhibited at a
- 14 drive-in theatre during the period from the last Sunday in
- 15 April to the last Sunday in October.