HOUSE No. 2383

By Mr. Piro of Somerville, petition of Vincent J. Piro for legislation to make certain corrective changes in the law relative to collective purchases by political subdivisions of the Commonwealth. State Administration.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

AN ACT MAKING CERTAIN CORRECTIVE CHANGES TO FACILITATE PARTICIPATION IN THE COMMONWEALTH'S PROGRAM OF COLLEC-TIVE PURCHASES BY POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS

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

SECTION 1. Section 4B of chapter 40 of the General Laws, 1

as most recently amended by section 1 of chapter 320 of the acts

of 1972, is hereby further amended by adding the following 3

paragraph: -4

5 The provisions of this section shall be deemed to have been 6 complied with on all purchases made under the provisions of section 22A of Chapter 7, when one municipality acting on

8 behalf of other municipalities complies with the provisions of

9 this section, or when purchases are made from a vendor holding a

10 contract with the Commonwealth for the item or items being 11 purchased.

SECTION 2. Section 28 of chapter 43 of the General Laws is

2 hereby amended by adding the following paragraph: —

13 The provisions of this section shall be deemed to have been 4 complied with on all purchases made under the provisions of

5 section 22A of Chapter 7, when one municipality acting on 6 behalf of other municipalities complies with the provisions of

7 this section, or when purchases are made from a vendor holding a

8 contract with the Commonwealth for the item or items being

purchased.

SECTION 3. Section 29 of chapter 43 of the General Laws is

2 hereby amended by adding the following paragraph: -

The provisions of this section shall be deemed to have been complied with on all purchases made under the provisions of

5 section 22A of Chapter 7, when one municipality acting on 6 behalf of other municipalities complies with the provisions of

7 this section, or when purchases are made from a vendor holding a

8 contract with the Commonwealth for the item or items being

9 purchased.