

By Messrs. Bartley of Holyoke, Ambler of Weymouth, Schneiders of Canton and Rotenberg of Brookline, petition of David M. Bartley, Robert B. Ambler and Paul A. Schneiders for legislation to extend daylight saving time throughout the year in order to maximize daylight hours to conserve energy and promote public safety. Government Regulations.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

AN ACT EXTENDING DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME THROUGHOUT THE YEAR IN ORDER TO MAXIMIZE DAYLIGHT HOURS TO CONSERVE ENERGY AND PROMOTE PUBLIC SAFETY.

*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. Section 10 of chapter 4 of the General Laws, as  
2 most recently amended by chapter 180 of the acts of 1954, is  
3 hereby further amended by striking out the first sentence and  
4 inserting in place thereof the following sentence: —

5 In each year the standard time in the commonwealth shall be  
6 one hour in advance of United States eastern standard time.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on December 1, 1973.

