

By Mrs. Metayer of Braintree, petition of Elizabeth N. Metayer that the county commissioners of Norfolk County be authorized to pay certain unpaid bills. Counties.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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**AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NORFOLK COUNTY TO PAY CERTAIN UNPAID BILLS.**

*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 county commissioners of Norfolk county are  
2 hereby authorized to pay, subject to appropriation, and after such  
3 appropriation, the treasurer of said county is hereby authorized to  
4 pay, such of the unpaid bills incurred by said county and totaling  
5 five thousand five hundred ninety-nine dollars and seventy-eight  
6 cents for goods supplied and services rendered to said county  
7 during the year nineteen hundred and seventy-two rendered during  
8 the construction of the district court in the city of Quincy. Said bills  
9 are legally unenforceable against said county by reason of their  
10 being incurred in excess of available appropriations.

1 SECTION 2. No bill shall be approved by the county commis-  
2 sioners of said county or paid by said county treasurer under  
3 authority of this act unless and until a certificate has been signed  
4 and filed with said treasurer stating under the penalties of perjury  
5 that the goods and services for which said bill was submitted were  
6 ordered by an official or an employee of said county and that such  
7 goods were delivered and actually received by said county or that  
8 such services were rendered to said county, or both.

