

HOUSE No. 130

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
600 WASHINGTON STREET
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02111, NOVEMBER 4, 1981.

The Honorable Michael Joseph Connolly
Secretary of the Commonwealth
State House, Boston, Massachusetts 02133

Dear Secretary Connolly: Enclosed are the legislative proposals for the Department of Public Health for the 1982 legislative session. There is also a list of these proposed bills attached.

Sincerely,

ALFRED L. FRECHETTE, M.D.,
Commissioner.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Two.

LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

1. AN ACT IMPROVING THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROGRAM.
2. AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DELEGATION OF RESPONSIBILITY WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.
3. AN ACT AMENDING THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROGRAM.
4. AN ACT RELATIVE TO HOSPITAL AND OTHER LICENSES.
5. AN ACT TRANSFERRING CERTAIN LICENSING AUTHORITY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.
6. AN ACT TRANSFERRING THE BIRTH, MARRIAGE AND DEATH RECORDS OF 1841 THROUGH 1890 TO THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH.
7. AN ACT RECODIFYING THE LAWS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH RELATING TO THE REGISTRATION OF BIRTH, DEATH, MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE RECORDS OR REPORTS.
8. AN ACT PERTAINING TO FEES PAID FOR A PROGRAM OF DRIVER ALCOHOL EDUCATION.
9. AN ACT ALLOWING DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH PHYSICIAN EMPLOYEES TO ACCEPT NON-PAYING ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS.
10. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE REPEAL OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS REGARDING THE TREATMENT OF CERTAIN RHEUMATIC FEVER PATIENTS.
11. AN ACT RELATIVE TO MAKING CERTAIN CHANGES IN CHAPTER III REGARDING INFANTS PREMATURELY BORN.

12. AN ACT CLARIFYING THE METHOD OF PAYMENT FOR DANGEROUS DISEASES.
13. AN ACT AUTHORIZING REIMBURSEMENT BY THE COMMONWEALTH TO CITIES, TOWNS AND DISTRICTS FOR THE ANNUAL COSTS OF FLUORIDE CHEMICALS FOR THE OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF DRINKING WATER FILTRATION PLANTS.

1. The purpose of this memorandum is to provide information regarding the activities of the [redacted] in the [redacted] area.

2. It is noted that the [redacted] has been active in the [redacted] area since [redacted]. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions.

3. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions.

4. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions.

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8. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions.

9. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions. The [redacted] has been observed in the [redacted] area on [redacted] occasions.