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SENATE No. 946

By Mr. Foley, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 946) of Daniel J. Foley for legislation relative to the bargaining units for court officers in the Superior Court. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

**AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE BARGAINING UNITS FOR COURT OFFICERS
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

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

- 1 The third paragraph of Section 3 of Chapter 105E, as most
- 2 recently amended by Section 76 of Chapter 478 of the Acts of
- 3 1978, is hereby further amended by striking out the second
- 4 sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sen-
- 5 tence: —
- 6 The appropriate bargaining units for judicial employees
- 7 within the provisions of this chapter shall be a professional
- 8 unit composed of all probation officers and court officers, and
- 9 a unit composed of all nonmanagerial or nonconfidential staff
- 10 and clerical personnel employed by the judiciary; provided
- 11 that court officers in the superior court department for Suf-
- 12 folk, Middlesex and Worcester counties shall be represented
- 13 by such other bargaining units as they may elect.

