By Mr. Harold, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1620) of Paul D. Harold, Michael W. Morrissey and Stephen J. Karol for legislation to reimburse cities and towns for the costs of real estate tax abatements. Taxation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT REIMBURSING CITIES AND TOWNS FOR THE COSTS OF REAL ESTATE TAX ABATEMENTS.

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

1 Chapter 59 is hereby amended by adding the following section: —

3 Section 80. All abatements or exemptions authorized under this chapter shall be reimbursed totally by the commonwealth to the cities and towns.