

SENATE . . . . . No. 2333

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By Mr. Buell, a petition of Fred J. Kyrouz, city clerk, and Richard R. Silva, mayor of the city of Gloucester, Robert C. Buell and Patricia G. Fiero for legislation to authorize member city and towns of the North Shore Regional Vocational School District to separate from said district. Education.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING MEMBER CITY AND TOWNS OF THE NORTH SHORE REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO SEPARATE FROM SAID DISTRICT.

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

- 1 Notwithstanding the provisions of any terms made under the
- 2 provisions of clause (f) of section fourteen B of chapter seventy-
- 3 one of the General Laws, any city by a two-thirds vote of the
- 4 city council or any town by a two-thirds vote at a town meeting
- 5 may separate from the North Shore Regional Vocational
- 6 School district provided such city or town continues to meet
- 7 all obligations to said district incurred prior to such separation.

The first part of the report deals with the general situation of the country and the progress of the various branches of industry and commerce. It is found that the country has made considerable progress in all these respects since the last report.

### The Department of Education

The Department of Education has been very successful in its operations during the year. It has succeeded in increasing the number of schools and the number of pupils. It has also succeeded in improving the quality of the education.

The Department has also succeeded in increasing the number of teachers and in improving their qualifications. It has also succeeded in increasing the number of students who are receiving higher education.

The Department has also succeeded in increasing the number of students who are receiving technical education. It has also succeeded in increasing the number of students who are receiving vocational education.

The Department has also succeeded in increasing the number of students who are receiving agricultural education. It has also succeeded in increasing the number of students who are receiving medical education.