

SENATE No. 1893

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

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MICHAEL S. DUKAKIS
GOVERNOR

December 31, 1990

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Part 2, Chapter 2, Section 1, Article II of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, I am vetoing Senate Bill 1846 "An Act Clarifying Uniform Procurement Procedures for Cities, Towns, Districts and Counties".

The bill as drafted will delete from the Uniform Procurement Act an exemption from public advertising and competition when a governmental body joins in one of the statutorily authorized self-insurance pools for workers' compensation or property and casualty coverage. Such a change should not be eliminated without the opportunity to completely explore alternative methods to deal with the issue, therefore I am vetoing the bill as currently drafted.

Respectfully submitted,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, which appears to read "Michael S. Dukakis".

Michael S. Dukakis

