

SENATE No. 942

By Mr. Shannon, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 942) of Charles E. Shannon for legislation relative to the cost of the clean up of Boston Harbor. Natural Resources and Agriculture.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE COSTS OF BOSTON HARBORS CLEANUP BE BORNE BY THE ENTIRE COMMONWEALTH AND NOT JUST THE SIXTY MEMBER COMMUNITIES.

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 any general or special law, rule or regulation
2 to the contrary, the annual cost attributed to the cleanup of the
3 waters of Boston Harbor shall be borne by the Commonwealth.
4 The Massachusetts Water Resource Authority shall submit to the
5 Clerks of the House and Senate and the House and Senate
6 Committees on Ways and Means on January 1 of each year, a
7 report detailing the cost attributed to said cleanup of the prior
8 calendar year, and the Commonwealth shall reimburse the
9 Massachusetts Water Resource Authority said costs.

