

# HOUSE . . . . No. 1049

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By Mr. Donnelly of Lawrence, petition of James P. Donnelly that the Commonwealth be paid all unclaimed awards or dividends under the pari-mutuel system of wagering on horse and dog races. Legal Affairs.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-Eight.

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AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT TO THE COMMONWEALTH OF UNCLAIMED AWARDS OR DIVIDENDS UNDER THE PARI-MUTUEL SYSTEM OF WAGERING ON HORSE AND DOG RACES.

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

1 Section five of chapter one hundred and twenty-  
2 eight A of the General Laws, as most recently amended  
3 by section one of chapter four hundred and fifty-four  
4 of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirty-five, is  
5 hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof  
6 the following new paragraph:—

7 Awards or dividends payable to winning patrons  
8 so wagering and remaining unclaimed for a period of  
9 thirty days after the close of racing meetings shall be  
10 paid by the licensee to the commission.

