

HOUSE No. 3033

By Messrs. Feeney of Boston and Murphy of Boston, petition of Michael Paul Feeney and Paul Murphy for legislation to provide for a state payment to families of servicemen killed in Vietnam. Social Welfare.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO INDEMNIFY THE FAMILIES OF SERVICEMEN KILLED IN VIETNAM.

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 1. The parents, widow, children or other surviv-
2 ing family members of a member of the armed forces of the
3 United States who has sacrificed his or her life in the Vietnam
4 conflict shall upon application to the state treasurer be paid
5 the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars as a measure of ap-
6 preciation by a grateful commonwealth.

1 SECTION 2. The effect of this act shall be retroactive to
2 the date when the United States entered
3 the Vietnam conflict.

