

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

MEMORANDUM OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH PURSUANT TO GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 3, SECTION 7, WITH RESPECT TO PETITION OF CHARLES F. FLAHERTY, JR., FOR LEGISLATION TO AUTHORIZE LESLEY COLLEGE TO HOLD ADDITIONAL REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

MAY 14, 1970.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

The above-named petition was transmitted to me by the Clerk of the Senate Rules Committee on May 4, 1970, with a request for a memorandum.

The Lesley School was incorporated under the provisions of Chapter 180 of the General Laws on December 19, 1941. Chapter 553 of the Acts and Resolves of 1943 authorized the trustees of The Lesley School to grant the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education. On December 26, 1944 an amendment was filed in this office changing the name of the corporation to Lesley College.

The bill before your honorable bodies seeks authority for Lesley College to hold, for the purposes for which it is incorporated, real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding twenty million dollars.

Special legislation is required to effect the desired result.

Whether or not this should be allowed is a matter of policy within your exclusive jurisdiction, and this office expresses no opinion on the merits of the bill. No fee is required to be paid by a corporation of this type under the provisions of Chapter 3, Section 7.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. X. DAVOREN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

By Mr. Flaherty of Cambridge, petition of Charles F. Flaherty, Jr., for legislation to authorize Lesley College to hold additional real and personal property. Education.

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING LESLEY COLLEGE TO HOLD ADDITIONAL REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

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

- 1 Lesley College, a corporation duly organized and existing
- 2 under the provisions of general law, is hereby authorized to
- 3 hold, for the purposes for which it is incorporated, real and
- 4 personal estate to an amount not exceeding twenty million
- 5 dollars.