

HOUSE No. 5730

Substituted by the House, on motion of Mr. Farrell of Worcester and as amended by Mr. Belmonte of Framingham, for a Bill prohibiting school committees from offering certain instruction pertaining to the human reproductive system (House, No. 5542). May 27.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy.

AN ACT REGULATING THE TEACHING OF SEX EDUCATION OR FAMILY PLANNING COURSES IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

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

1 Chapter 71 of the General Laws is hereby amended by insert-
2 ing after section 30 the following section:—

3 *Section 30A.* Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, no
4 school committee shall offer, and no school teacher shall teach
5 or instruct, any courses specifically designated "sex education"
6 or a course by any other name in which instruction is given to
7 the pupil at any grade level primarily, dealing with the human
8 reproductive system as it pertains to the act of sexual intercourse.

The Commission on the
