HOUSE No. 2483

By Mr. Keverian of Everett, petition of the Boston Police Patrolmen's Association, Inc., and George Keverian that certain agreements reached in municipal collective bargaining shall prevail over certain police regulations. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-One.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN AGREEMENTS REACHED IN MUNICIPAL COLLECTIVE BARGAINING PREVAILING OVER CERTAIN REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE POLICE FORCE.

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

- 1 The second paragraph of section 178-I of chapter 149 of the
- 2 General Laws, is hereby amended by striking out the second
- 3 sentence, as most recently amended by chapter 341 of the acts
- 4 of 1969 and inserting in place thereof the following sen-5 tence: —
- 5 tence: -
- 6 In the event that any part or provision of any such agree-7 ment is in conflict with any law, ordinance or by-law, such
- 8 law, ordinance or by-law shall prevail so long as such conflict
- 9 remains; provided, however, that the provisions of any such
- 10 agreement shall prevail over any regulations, assignments or
- 11 orders made or issued by a chief of police pursuant to
- 12 section 97A of chapter 41 of the General Laws.