

Greater Boston and by two or more of the other existing corporations at meetings duly called for the purpose, duly certified copies of the respective votes of acceptance shall be filed in the registry of deeds for Suffolk county and the consolidation of the corporations accepting the act shall thereupon be complete.

SECTION 5. The consolidated corporation may hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding ten million dollars.

SECTION 6. For the purpose of its acceptance this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved February 27, 1957.

Chap.121 AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE THIRTIETH, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVEN, SUPPLEMENTING CERTAIN EXISTING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE AIRPORT MANAGEMENT BOARD, THE PORT OF BOSTON COMMISSION AND FOR DEBT SERVICE.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. To provide for supplementing certain appropriations previously made for the state airport management board, the port of Boston commission and for debt service, the sums set forth in section two of this act are hereby made available from the General Fund to said board and commission and for debt service, to be in addition to amounts at present available for the purposes, subject to the provisions of law regulating the disbursement of public funds and the approval thereof and the conditions pertaining to said items in chapters five hundred and two, six hundred and eighty-eight and seven hundred and forty-six of the acts of nineteen hundred and fifty-six.

SECTION 2.

State Purposes Appropriations.

APPROPRIATIONS MADE FROM THE GENERAL FUND.

Boards and Commissions serving under Governor and Council.

State Airport Management Board.

Item		
0492-01	For the service of the state airport management board, as authorized by chapter six hundred and thirty-seven of the acts of nineteen hundred and forty-eight, including not more than eight permanent positions	\$25,515 00
0493-01	For the operation of the Logan airport, including not more than one hundred and twenty-one permanent positions	317,540 00
0494-01	For the operation of the Hanscom field, including not more than eight permanent positions	18,780 00

Service of the Port of Boston Commission.

0496-01	For expenses of administration, including not more than thirty-seven permanent posi-	
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	tions; provided, that no compensation or expenses of consultants for legal services shall be chargeable to this item; and provided further, however, that the incumbents presently temporarily employed for a period of three years or more are hereby made permanent under chapter thirty-one of the General Laws	\$94,700 00
0496-02	For the operation and maintenance of property under the control of the commission, including not more than sixty-five permanent positions	100,502 00

Debt Service Appropriations.

APPROPRIATIONS MADE FROM THE GENERAL FUND.

Interest and Redemption of Debt.

2420-00	For certain serial bonds maturing, to be in addition to the amounts appropriated in items 2952-00 and 3590-03, prior appropriation continued; provided, that to reimburse the General Fund for the cost of debt service on account of highway expenditures made in accordance with the provisions of chapter six hundred and eighty-nine of the acts of nineteen hundred and fifty-four, as amended, the comptroller shall transfer to the General Fund the sum of two hundred and forty-six thousand two hundred dollars from the Highway Fund	\$2,601,836 00
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SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.
Approved February 28, 1957.

AN ACT REQUIRING CITY OR TOWN CLERKS TO GIVE A WRITTEN RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF THE SUBMISSION OF A PLAN UNDER THE SUBDIVISION CONTROL LAW UPON REQUEST. *Chap.122*

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 81T of chapter 41 of the General Laws, as appearing in section 7 of chapter 674 of the acts of 1953, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 7, the word "required" and inserting in place thereof the word:— requested,— so that the second sentence will read as follows:— If the notice is given by delivery the clerk shall, if requested, give a written receipt therefor to the person who delivered such notice. *Approved February 28, 1957.*

AN ACT CLARIFYING THE ZONING ENABLING ACT RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING VARIANCES TO ZONING ORDINANCES AND BY-LAWS. *Chap.123*

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

The last paragraph of section 15 of chapter 40A of the General Laws, as appearing in section 2 of chapter 368 of the acts of 1954, is hereby amended by striking out, in