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**SENATE . . . . . No. 842**

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By Mr. Timilty, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate No. 842) of Joseph F. Timilty for legislation to provide Department of Environmental Quality Engineering information on local health regulations. Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

AN ACT TO PROVIDE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
ENGINEERING INFORMATION ON LOCAL HEALTH REGULATIONS.

*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 8 of Chapter 21A of the General Laws, as most  
2 recently amended by Section 76 of Chapter 706 of the Acts  
3 of 1975, is hereby amended by inserting after the last sentence  
4 of the first paragraph there of the following two sentences: —

5 The Department shall also collect from each city, town, or  
6 health district within the Commonwealth, copies of all local  
7 sanitary codes, and all rules, regulations, and standards that  
8 pertain to the area of public health, and any amendments and  
9 additions made thereto. It shall place all this information in  
10 one central location, and maintain and update this information  
11 for the purpose of public inspection and reference.

12 *Section 2.* Chapter 111 of the General Laws is amended  
13 in inserting after Section 26E, inserted by Chapter 268 of the  
14 Acts of 1946, the following section: —

15 The Health Officer or Board of Health for any city, town,  
16 or district shall file with the Department of Environmental  
17 Quality Engineering, attested copies of all current local health  
18 rules, regulations, and standards, and any future amendments  
19 made thereto, for deposit by the Department of Environmental  
20 Quality Engineering in a central location for public inspection  
21 and reference.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20540

IN THE MATTER OF THE EVIDENCE  
Produced Pursuant to the Order of the Court  
in Case No. 73-1000, et al.

The Honorable Court of Appeals

in the case of the United States vs. [Name]

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