

SENATE No. 1175

By Mr. Saltonstall, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1175) of William L. Saltonstall and Robert A. Hall for legislation to provide for an excise in lieu of a property tax on certain farms. Taxation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AN EXCISE IN LIEU OF A PROPERTY TAX ON
CERTAIN FARMS.

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 first sentence of section 8A of chapter 59 of the General
2 Laws, as appearing in section 7 of chapter 925 of the acts of
3 1973, is hereby amended by adding after the word "agricul-
4 ture" in line one the following: — "or subsistence farming,"

