

SENATE No. 1606

By Mr. Rotondi (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1606) of John F. Worden, III, for legislation to define the term municipal officers in reference to the housing and urban renewal law. Urban Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT DEFINING THE TERM MUNICIPAL OFFICERS FOR THE PURPOSES OF CHAPTER 121B.

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 1 of Chapter 121B of the General Laws is amended
- 2 by striking out the definition "Municipal officers" and insert-
- 3 ing in place thereof the following:
- 4 "Municipal officers, in the case of all cities, the city council
- 5 with the approval of the mayor, and in the case of towns, the
- 6 Town Meeting with the approval of the board of selectmen
- 7 and the town manager, if any. In towns in which the Town
- 8 Meeting so decides, a committee established by the Town
- 9 Meeting may be substituted for the Town Meeting as a whole.
- 10 The municipal officers are hereby designated as the local
- 11 governing body for purposes of any approval or action of such
- 12 body required by federal legislation."

