
By Mr. Aylmer, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1770) of John F. Aylmer for legislation to further regulate the Old King's Highway Regional Historic District Commission. Urban Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE OLD KING'S HIGHWAY REGIONAL HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION.

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. Section 9 of Chapter 470 of the Acts of 1973 as
2 most recently amended by Chapter 436 of the Acts of 1978 is
3 hereby amended by striking out the second paragraph and in-
4 serting in place thereof the following new paragraph: —

5 The Commission shall elect a Chairman and a Vice Chair-
6 man from its membership. The Chairman shall preside at all
7 meetings except that in his absence the Vice Chairman shall
8 preside and in the absence of the Chairman or Vice Chairman
9 from any meeting the membership present may elect a tempo-
10 rary chairman.

1 SECTION 2. Said Section 4 is hereby further amended by
2 adding after the last paragraph the following paragraph: —

3 The county treasurer of Barnstable County shall serve as
4 treasurer for the commission. He shall maintain a cash book
5 of the commission's receipts and disbursements and render
6 monthly accountings to said commission. Funds shall be paid
7 upon warrants signed by the Chairman or in his absence,
8 signed by the Vice Chairman. All original vouchers shall be
9 retained by the county treasurer for a period of four years.
10 The county treasurer shall not receive any additional compen-
11 sation for his services to the commission but may, subject to
12 approval by the commission, retain clerical assistance.

1 SECTION 3. Section 5 of said Chapter 470 is hereby amended
2 by adding after the last paragraph the following paragraph: —

3 The Selectmen of any member town may, upon the nomina-

4 tion and approval of the committee, annually appoint one per-
 5 son residing in the district to serve as an alternate member of
 6 the committee who may upon designation by the committee
 7 Chairman sit as a member of the committee in order to bring
 8 the membership up to a quorum.