

SENATE . . . . . No. 911

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By Mr. Kirby, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 911) of Edward P. Kirby for legislation to further regulate animal research and experimentation. Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-five.

**AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING ANIMAL RESEARCH AND  
EXPERIMENTATION.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 Clause (b) of section 174D of chapter 140, as most recently
- 2 amended by chapter 631 of the acts of 1983, is hereby further
- 3 amended by striking in the second and third sentences the
- 4 word "may" and substituting therefor the word "shall."

It is the policy of the Government to encourage the development of the national economy by the promotion of private enterprise and investment in the production of goods and services.

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