

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 6206

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Substituted by the House, on motion of Mr. White of Boston, for a bill with the same title (House, No. 2339, changed). November 9.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RELEASE OF HOSPITAL RECORDS.

*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 70 of chapter 111 of the General Laws,  
2 as appearing in the 1986 Official Edition, is hereby amended by  
3 inserting after the word "otherwise", in line 22, the words: — or  
4 a valid subpoena issued by the commonwealth in a criminal case.

1 SECTION 2. Said section 70 of said chapter 111, as so  
2 appearing, is hereby amended by inserting after the fifth sentence  
3 the following sentence: — For purposes of this section the words  
4 "proper judicial order" shall mean an order signed by a justice  
5 or special justice of a court having jurisdiction to issue such an  
6 order or by a clerk or assistant clerk of such court acting upon  
7 instructions of such justice.

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REPORT OF THE

COMMISSIONERS OF THE

LAND OFFICE

IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION

PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

ON FEBRUARY 2, 1850

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