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SENATE No. 273

By Mr. Locke, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 273) of Lucy Forti and David H. Locke for legislation to provide for statewide education on the adverse effects of drug use. Education.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PROVIDE UP-TO-DATE FACTUAL DRUG EDUCATION STATEWIDE.

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 four of chapter 70 of the General Laws, as most recently
- 2 amended by section 11 of chapter 492 of the acts of 1974, is hereby
- 3 further amended by adding the following paragraph: —
- 4 All cities, towns and districts shall receive up-to-date, factual
- 5 drug education information on marihuana and other illegal drugs.
- 6 Presentations and educational material shall focus on the adverse
- 7 physiological, psychological and social effects of drug use.

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