

HOUSE No. 558

By Mr. Hynes of Marshfield, petition of Dorothy Checchi O'Brien and Frank M. Hynes for legislation to increase the penalty for violations of the anti-cruelty laws relative to animals. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE ANTI-CRUELTY LAW.

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 77 of chapter 272 shall be changed to increase the
- 2 penalty from five hundred dollars to one thousand dollars.

