

HOUSE No. 4511

By Mr. Walsh of Agawam, petition of Michael P. Walsh and Shannon P. O'Brien that cities and towns be authorized to establish a municipal cable television departments. Government Regulations.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING CITIES AND TOWNS TO ESTABLISH A MUNICIPAL CABLE TELEVISION DEPARTMENT.

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 8 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, as appearing in
2 the 1986 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after
3 clause (20) the following clause: —

4 (21) For establishing or purchasing a municipal cable television
5 system for supplying a city, town, or district and its inhabitants
6 with cable television services, either from public or private
7 sources, for the purpose of a cable television system, or for taking
8 or purchasing land for the installation of necessary facilities, thirty
9 years.

