

By Mr. Donahue, a petition of Maurice A. Donahue for legislation to provide that the Sergeant-At-Arms of the General Court shall direct the making of certain repairs and improvements in certain areas of the State House. Rules (Concurrently).

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Five.

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT THE SERGEANT-AT-ARMS OF THE GENERAL COURT SHALL DIRECT THE MAKING OF CERTAIN REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE STATE HOUSE.

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. Chapter 3 of the General Laws is hereby amended
2 by inserting after section 17 the following section: —

3 *Section 17A.* The sergeant-at-arms shall, subject to the pro-
4 visions of sections thirty A to thirty J, inclusive, of chapter
5 seven, whenever the same shall be applicable, direct the mak-
6 ing of all repairs and improvements in the chambers and lobbies
7 of the general court and in all rooms assigned to the general
8 court and its committees and in all other rooms assigned to the
9 general court or either branch thereof for the use of its officers
10 and attaches. The committee on rules of either branch shall
11 make requisition upon him for any such repair or improvement.

1 SECTION 2. Section 6 of chapter 8 of the General Laws, as
2 most recently amended by section 1 of chapter 590 of the acts
3 of 1962, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word
4 "house", in line 4, the words: — except repairs and improve-
5 ments to the chambers and lobbies of the general court and to
6 hearing rooms and other rooms assigned to the general court
7 and its committees and to any other rooms assigned to the
8 general court or either branch thereof for the use of its officers
9 and attaches.

1 SECTION 3. Section 9 of said chapter 8, as amended by section
 2 3 of chapter 249 of the acts of 1938, is hereby further amended
 3 by inserting after the word "shall", in line 9, the words: —
 4 , except as otherwise provided by section seventeen A of
 5 chapter three.,