

HOUSE No. 1160

By Mr. Simonelli of Somerville, petition of Michael J. Simonelli that housing authorities be required to provide police protection for housing projects. Urban Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING POLICE PROTECTION FOR HOUSING PROJECTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Chapter 121 of the General Laws is hereby amended by in-
- 2 serting after section 26CCC, the following section:—
- 3 *Section 26DDD.* All housing projects shall have twenty-
- 4 four hour special police protection, provided by the housing
- 5 authorities. For this purpose, special officers shall be appointed
- 6 by the housing authorities who shall pay such special police
- 7 officers the prevailing wage of the local police.

