

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2262

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By Mr. Serlin of Boston, petition of Kevin H. White (mayor of Boston) and I. Edward Serlin for a legislative amendment to the Constitution granting to cities and towns the power to levy, assess and collect taxes. The Judiciary.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

PROPOSAL FOR A LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION GRANTING TO CITIES AND TOWNS THE POWER TO LEVY, ASSESS AND COLLECT TAXES.

1 A majority of all the members elected to the Senate and  
2 House of Representatives, in joint session, hereby declares it  
3 to be expedient to alter the Constitution by the adoption of  
4 the following Article of Amendment, to the end that it may  
5 become a part of the Constitution [if similarly agreed to in  
6 a joint session of the next General Court and approved by the  
7 people at the state election next following] :

### ARTICLE OF AMENDMENT.

8 Article II of the Amendments to the Constitution which  
9 Article LXXXIX of said Amendments adopted in place of  
10 the original Article II, as amended, is hereby amended by  
11 striking out, in section seven, clause (2).

