

HOUSE No. 2594

By Mr. Feeney of Boston, petition of John A. Gavin relative to the discharge of prisoners whose terms expire on legal holidays. Social Welfare.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN EARLIER DISCHARGE IF SUCH TERM ENDS
ON A LEGAL HOLIDAY.

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 150 of chapter 127 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by inserting after the last sentence the following
3 sentence:— A prisoner whose term expires on a legal holiday,
4 as defined in chapter four, section seven of the General Laws,
5 shall be discharged on the preceding day.

