

HOUSE No. 3242

By Mrs. Campobasso of Arlington, petition of Eleanor M. Campobasso for legislation to place cable antenna television services under the jurisdiction of the Department of Public Utilities. Government Regulations.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PLACING CABLE ANTENNA TELEVISION SERVICES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

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 12 of chapter 159 of the General Laws, as most re-
2 cently amended by section 9 of chapter 563 of the acts of 1964,
3 is hereby further amended by inserting after subsection (d)
4 the following subsection:—

5 (e) The department shall have general supervision and
6 regulation of, and jurisdiction over cable antenna television
7 services, and shall, after a hearing upon its own motion or
8 upon complaint, determine just and reasonable rates and
9 charges to be charged for the service to be rendered.

The House of Representatives of the United States of America, in the Senate and House of Representatives, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears on file in the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

The Community of Massachusetts

In the Year of the Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

At the City of Boston, this 15th day of June, 1952.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts at the City of Boston, this 15th day of June, 1952.

John F. Kennedy, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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