

HOUSE No. 3870

By Mr. Menton of Watertown, petition of Paul C. Menton and Edward J. Dever, Jr., that credit rating bureaus be made liable in damages for ordinary negligence in furnishing erroneous credit rating information. Commerce and Labor.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE FURNISHING OF ERRONEOUS INFORMATION BY A CREDIT RATING BUREAU OR ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION WHICH FURNISHES CREDIT RATING INFORMATION.

*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 259 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
2 inserting after section 4 the following section:—

3 *Section 4A.* A credit rating bureau or any person or organ-
4 ization which furnishes credit rating information shall be
5 liable in damages for ordinary negligence in furnishing er-
6 roneous credit rating information concerning any person or
7 corporation who has applied for credit from a third party
8 whether said information is furnished orally or in writing.

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REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE
IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
MAY 10, 1911

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE
AND TO THE MANNER OF THE SALE OF LANDS BELONGING TO THE STATE

IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
MAY 10, 1911

1. Chapter 205 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 2 the following section:—
2. Section 2. X. (1) Any person or persons or persons or persons who shall be found guilty of any crime or offense shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment or both as provided in section 2 of chapter 205 of the General Laws.
3. Section 2. Y. Any person or persons or persons or persons who shall be found guilty of any crime or offense shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment or both as provided in section 2 of chapter 205 of the General Laws.
4. Section 2. Z. Any person or persons or persons or persons who shall be found guilty of any crime or offense shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment or both as provided in section 2 of chapter 205 of the General Laws.
5. Section 2. AA. Any person or persons or persons or persons who shall be found guilty of any crime or offense shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment or both as provided in section 2 of chapter 205 of the General Laws.
6. Section 2. AB. Any person or persons or persons or persons who shall be found guilty of any crime or offense shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment or both as provided in section 2 of chapter 205 of the General Laws.
7. Section 2. AC. Any person or persons or persons or persons who shall be found guilty of any crime or offense shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment or both as provided in section 2 of chapter 205 of the General Laws.
8. Section 2. AD. Any person or persons or persons or persons who shall be found guilty of any crime or offense shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment or both as provided in section 2 of chapter 205 of the General Laws.