

By Mr. Gillette of Pembroke, petition of George A. Ridder and another that the county commissioners of Plymouth County be authorized to borrow money for alterations, construction of and additions to the registry of deeds and probate in the town of Plymouth. Counties.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Two.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PLYMOUTH COUNTY TO BORROW MONEY FOR ALTERATIONS, CONSTRUCTION OF AND ADDITIONS TO THE REGISTRY OF DEEDS AND PROBATE IN THE TOWN OF PLYMOUTH.

*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 1. The county commissioners of Plymouth county  
2 are hereby authorized to alter and construct additions to the  
3 registry of deeds and probate in the town of Plymouth. Said  
4 commissioners may expend for the purposes of this act such  
5 sums as may be necessary not exceeding in the aggregate one  
6 million dollars. Any funds received from the federal govern-  
7 ment for the purposes of this act shall be included in as part of  
8 the total amount authorized for expenditures hereunder.

1 SECTION 2. For the purposes authorized by section 1, the  
2 treasurer of said county, with the approval of the county  
3 commissioners, may borrow upon the credit of the county such  
4 sums as may be necessary not exceeding in the aggregate, one  
5 million dollars and may issue bonds or notes of the county  
6 thereof which shall bear on their face the words, Plymouth  
7 County Registry of Deeds and Probate Loan, Act of 1972.  
8 Each authorized issue shall constitute a separate loan and such  
9 loans shall be payable not more than fifteen years from their  
10 dates. The bonds or notes shall be signed by the county

11 treasurer and countersigned by a majority of the county com-  
12 missioners. The county may sell the said securities at public or  
13 private sale, upon such terms and conditions as the county  
14 commissioners may deem proper, but not for less than their  
15 par value. Indebtedness incurred hereunder shall, except as  
16 herein provided, be subject to chapter 35 of the General Laws.

1 SECTION 3. The county treasurer of said county, with the  
2 approval of the county commissioners, may issue temporary  
3 notes of the county, payable in not more than one year from  
4 their dates, in anticipation of serial bonds or notes under this  
5 act, but the time within which such serial bonds or notes shall  
6 become due and payable shall not, by reason of such tempo-  
7 rary notes, be extended beyond the time fixed by this act. Any  
8 notes issued in anticipation of the serial bonds or notes shall be  
9 paid from the proceeds thereof.

1 SECTION 4. Said commissioners may take by eminent  
2 domain or acquire by purchase or otherwise any land that may  
3 be necessary for the purposes of this act, including a sufficient  
4 area for the parking of the motor vehicles of persons in  
5 attendance upon said registries. Any sums received from the  
6 federal government for the purposes of this act shall be in-  
7 cluded in, and considered a part of, the total amount autho-  
8 rized to be expended hereunder.

1 SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon its passage.