

HOUSE No. 5241

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 13, 1972.

The committee on State Administration to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4941) of Robert L. Scagliotti relative to the selection of architects for alterations to certain historical buildings, report recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 5241) ought to pass.

For the committee,

ROBERT E. CAHILL

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SELECTION OF BIDDERS FOR ALTERATIONS TO CERTAIN HISTORICAL BUILDINGS.

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 44A of chapter 149 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by adding the following two paragraphs: –

3 The foregoing provisions shall not apply to any building or
4 structure listed on the National Register pursuant to Section
5 101(a) U. S. Public Law 89-665 or recommended by the
6 Massachusetts Historical Commission for addition thereto.

7 A minimum of three qualified bidders shall be invited to
8 submit a proposal on every contract for construction, recon-
9 struction, alteration, remodeling, repair or demolition of any
10 public building by the commonwealth or by any governmental
11 unit thereof that is listed on the National Register and/or
12 recommended for such listing by the Massachusetts Historical
13 Commission. The prospective bidder list shall be prepared by the
14 awarding authority with the advice and assistance of the Boston
15 Society of Architects.