

HOUSE No. 6286

By Mr. Bartley of Holyoke, petition of Robert H. Quinn (Attorney General) and David M. Bartley that the Department of Public Utilities be required to notify the Attorney General and to conduct a public hearing before certain rate schedule changes are made. Government Regulations.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES TO NOTIFY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND TO CONDUCT A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE MAKING CERTAIN RATE SCHEDULE CHANGES.

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 159 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
2 striking the first sentence of section 20, as appearing in chapter
3 18 of the acts of 1939, and inserting in place thereof the
4 following new sentence:

5 Whenever the department receives notice of any changes
6 proposed to be made in any schedule filed under this chapter, it
7 shall immediately notify the attorney general of the same, and
8 shall thereafter hold a public hearing and make investigation as to
9 the propriety of such proposed changes after first causing notice
10 of the time and place of such hearing and of the subject matter
11 sufficient for identification to be published at least twenty-one
12 days before such hearing in any newspapers as the department
13 may select.

Committee on Education and the Labor Force

THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT

Section 101. Short title

101. This Act may be cited as the "Education of All Handicapped Children Act of 1975."

102. The purpose of this Act is to ensure that all children with handicaps are educated to the maximum extent appropriate with children who are not handicapped.

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