

HOUSE No. 5161

By Mr. DiMasi of Boston, petition of John J. Graham for legislation to regulate the delivery of wills to the Probate Court. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Four.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PRODUCTION OF WILLS.

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. Section 13 of chapter one hundred ninety-one of
2 the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following
3 sentences: — The probate court shall not appoint as an administra-
4 tor a person who failed to deliver a will and said court shall revoke
5 an appointment of such a person if said appointment was made
6 prior to the court's knowledge of such failure to deliver. The
7 probate court shall not allow an administration of an estate to
8 continue while a will that has been delivered to the court remains
9 without determination of its validity.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

Report of the Committee on the subject of the proposed...

The Committee on...

Resolved, That the Committee do report...

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SECTION 2...