

HOUSE No. 5279

By Mr. Flaherty of Boston, petition of Michael F. Flaherty and others for legislation to protect dogs trained for racing purposes from use in research and experimentation. Counties.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PROTECT DOGS USED FOR RACING PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to
2 the contrary, no dogs which have been raised, trained or used for
3 racing or race track purposes including without limitation all
4 greyhounds used for such purposes, shall be used for research,
5 testing, experimentation, demonstration or instruction purposes
6 within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

is the subject of a bill of the House of Representatives
and the following is a brief description of the same:

The Committee on Education

has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter
of the 10th inst. in relation to the above bill.

The bill is now in the hands of the committee
and will be reported as soon as possible.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
[Signature]

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The committee is composed of the following members:
[List of names]