

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
STATE HOUSE • BOSTON 02133

MICHAEL S. DUKAKIS  
GOVERNOR

April 26, 1984

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 7 of Chapter 150E of the General Laws, I have reviewed the collective bargaining agreement signed April 3, 1984 between the Board of Regents of Higher Education and the Massachusetts Society of Professors, Faculty Staff Union/MTA/NEA at the University of Massachusetts at Boston and Amherst for the period July 1, 1983 through June 30, 1986.

With reference to this agreement, I recommend an appropriation in the amount of \$3,430,722.00 as a reserve for salary adjustments and other economic benefits payable under this agreement for the 1984 fiscal year.

Copies of the labor agreement and estimates of the costs of the settlement for fiscal years 1984 through 1986 have been submitted to the Committees on Ways and Means.

Sufficient funds are estimated to be available to defray the appropriation recommended herein.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael S. Dukakis  
Governor

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

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AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO FUND A COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND THE MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY OF PROFESSORS, FACULTY STAFF UNION/MTA/NEA AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS AT BOSTON AND AMHERST.

*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. To provide for the cost of salary adjustments and  
 2 other employee benefits authorized by the collective bargaining  
 3 agreement between the board of regents of higher education and  
 4 the Massachusetts Society of Professors, Faculty Staff Union/  
 5 MTA/NEA at the University of Massachusetts at Boston and  
 6 Amherst, the sum set forth in section two of this act is hereby  
 7 appropriated, subject to the provisions of law regulating the dis-  
 8 bursements of public funds and the conditions pertaining to  
 9 appropriations in chapter two hundred and eighty-nine of the acts  
 10 of nineteen hundred and eighty-three.

1 SECTION 2.

### EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE.

#### *Collective Bargaining.*

1599-3271 For a reserve to meet the cost of salary adjustments and other employee economic benefits authorized by the collective bargaining agreement between the board of regents of higher education and the Massachusetts Society of Professors, Faculty Staff Union/MTA/NEA at the University of Massachusetts at Boston and Amherst; provided, that the commissioner of administration is hereby authorized to transfer from the sum appropriated to other items of appropriation for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and eighty-four, such amounts as are

necessary to meet the cost of said adjustments and benefits for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and eighty-four and prior years where the amounts otherwise available are insufficient for the purpose; provided, further, that the commissioner of administration is authorized to allocate the cost of such salary adjustments and benefits to the several state or other funds to which such items of appropriation are charged; provided, further, that copies of said collective bargaining agreement, together with an analysis of all cost items contained in said agreement and all changes to be made in the schedules of permanent and temporary positions required by said agreement, shall be filed with the house and senate committees on ways and means prior to the transfer or allocation of any amounts necessary to meet the cost of said adjustments and benefits; and provided, further, that no transfers shall be made without the prior approval of the house and senate committees on ways and means; and provided, further, that this appropriation shall expire on June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighty-five . . . . . \$3,430,722.00

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

The following is a list of the names of the persons who were members of the committee on the subject of the proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of New York, which was passed by the Legislature in 1917, and which was submitted to the people at the general election in 1919.

The names of the members of the committee are as follows:

1. Mr. J. B. ...
2. Mr. ...
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6. Mr. ...
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8. Mr. ...
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The committee has the honor to acknowledge the assistance of ... in the preparation of this report.

Very respectfully,  
 J. B. ...  
 Chairman

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