

HOUSE No. 1707

By Miss Travinski of Southbridge, petition of Marilyn L. Travinski that provision be made for superintendents of regional school districts to speak on matters relating to regional school budgets before the legislative bodies of municipalities within said districts. Education.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT THE SUPERINTENDENT OF A REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY SPEAK ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE REGIONAL SCHOOL BUDGET BEFORE THE LEGISLATIVE BODIES OF THE MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT.

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 71 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting
- 2 after section 16B¹/₂ the following section: —
- 3 *Section 16B³/₄.* Notwithstanding any provision of law to the
- 4 contrary, the superintendent of schools of a regional school dis-
- 5 trict may on matters relating to the regional school budget speak at
- 6 a city council meeting, a town meeting or a meeting of the town
- 7 council in a municipality having a town council form of govern-
- 8 ment in cities and towns within the regional school district when
- 9 the regional school budget is being considered.

The Committee of Inquiry

The Committee of Inquiry was appointed by the Board of Directors on the 15th day of January, 1911, to investigate the financial condition of the company and to report thereon to the Board at its next meeting.

The Committee has the honor to report to the Board that it has completed its investigation and that the financial condition of the company is satisfactory.

The Committee further reports that it has found no irregularities in the accounts of the company and that the same are in accordance with the books and records of the company.