

HOUSE No. 5562

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 5, 1975.

The committee on Bills in the Third Reading, to whom was referred the Bill authorizing the Commissioner of Agriculture to establish rules for the payment of rent for farm land (House, No. 8), report recommending that the same be amended by the substitution of the accompanying bill (House, No. 5562).

For the committee,

JOHN E. MURPHY, Jr.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH RENT FOR THE USE OF PUBLICLY OWNED LAND FOR FARM 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 Chapter 20 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting
- 2 after section 18 the following section: —
- 3 *Section 18A.* The commissioner may establish reasonable rent
- 4 for the use of land devoted to agriculture.