

HOUSE No. 6232

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, June 2, 1975.

The committee on Bills in the Third Reading, to whom was referred the Bill to abolish the lodging house and boarding house liens (House, No. 1724), report recommending that the same be amended by the substitution of the accompanying bill (House, No. 6232).

For the committee,

JOHN E. MURPHY, Jr.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT ABOLISHING LODGING HOUSE AND BOARDING HOUSE KEEPERS LIENS.

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 12 of chapter 140 of the General Laws is
2 hereby amended by striking out the first paragraph, as most
3 recently amended by chapter 513 of the acts of 1972, and inserting
4 in place thereof the following paragraph: —

5 Whoever puts up at a hotel, motel, inn, lodging house or
6 boarding house and, without having an express agreement for
7 credit, procures food, entertainment or accommodation without
8 paying therefor, and with intent to cheat or defraud the owner of
9 keeper thereof; or, with such intent, obtains credit at a hotel,
10 motel, inn, lodging house or boarding house for such food,
11 entertainment or accommodation by means of any false show of
12 baggage or effects brought thereto; or, with such intent, removes
13 or causes to be removed any baggage or effects from a hotel,
14 motel, or inn while a lien exists thereon for the proper charges
15 due from him for fare and board furnished therein, shall be
16 punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or by
17 imprisonment for not more than one year; and whoever, without
18 having an express agreement for credit, procures food or
19 beverage from a common victualler without paying therefor and
20 with intent to cheat or defraud shall be punished by a fine of not
21 more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more
22 than three months. The words "lodging house", as used herein,
23 shall mean a lodging house as defined in section twenty-two.

1 SECTION 2. Section twenty-three of chapter two hundred
2 and fifty-five of the General Laws is hereby repealed.

1 SECTION 3. Section 31 of said chapter 255, as amended by
2 section 12 of chapter 326 of the acts of 1950, is hereby further
3 amended by striking out, in line 2, the words "twenty-three" and
4 inserting in place thereof the words: — twenty-four.

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