

HOUSE No. 2055

By Mrs. Holland of Longmeadow, petition of Iris K. Holland and Mary Jane Gibson relative to requiring that legislation filed with the General Court contain a statement of purpose. Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE SPONSOR'S STATEMENT OF PURPOSE ON ALL LEGISLATION FILED IN THE COMMONWEALTH.

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 3 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting
- 2 after section 21 the following section: —
- 3 *Section 21A.* As of the first Wednesday in December 1983, all
- 4 legislation filed with the clerk of the House or Senate is required to
- 5 commence with the sponsor's statement of purpose for filing the
- 6 bill. The statement of purpose shall contain the author's legislative
- 7 intent.

By the Committee on Education and Labor, in response to a resolution of the House of Representatives, passed July 1, 1910, relating to the report of the Secretary of the Interior on the subject of the proposed extension of the public domain.

THE EXTENSION OF THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, PASSED JULY 1, 1910, RELATING TO THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR ON THE SUBJECT OF THE PROPOSED EXTENSION OF THE PUBLIC DOMAIN.

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