

By Mr. Murphy of Peabody, petition of John E. Murphy, Jr., for legislation to establish a separate bargaining unit for court reporters. The Judiciary.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SEPARATE BARGAINING UNIT FOR COURT REPORTERS.

*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 3 of Chapter 150E of the General Laws is hereby
- 2 amended by striking out the second sentence of the third para-
- 3 graph, as inserted by Section 76 of Chapter 478 of the Acts of 1978,
- 4 and inserting in place thereof the following:—
- 5 The appropriate bargaining units for judicial employees within
- 6 the provisions of this chapter shall be a professional unit composed
- 7 of all probation officers and court officers, and a unit composed of
- 8 all nonmanagerial or nonconfidential staff and clerical personnel
- 9 employed by the judiciary; provided that court officers in the
- 10 superior court department for Suffolk and Middlesex counties
- 11 shall be represented by such other bargaining unit as they may
- 12 elect; and provided also that official stenographers whose compen-
- 13 sation is authorized by Section 91 of Chapter 221 shall be consid-
- 14 ered for the purposes of this chapter as managerial employees of
- 15 the judiciary.

The Government of the State of New York

In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

and the first day of the month of

At the City of New York, this

day of the month of

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Witness my hand and the seal of the State at the City of New York, this