

HOUSE No. 949

By Mr. Decas of Wareham, petition of Charles N. Decas for legislation to allow the use of crossbows by certain handicapped persons for use in hunting. Natural Resources and Agriculture.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT ALLOWING THE USE OF CROSSBOWS FOR CERTAIN HANDICAPPED PERSONS.

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 69A of Chapter 131 of the Massachusetts General
2 Laws, as most recently amended by section 253 of chapter 706 of
3 the statutes of 1975, is hereby further amended by adding after the
4 second sentence the following: — When no other mechanical
5 release on bows of the general design approved under the rules
6 and regulations of the first paragraph can be used by said handi-
7 capped person a permit may be issued for the use of crossbows.

