HOUSE No. 1095

By Mr. Stoddart of Natick, petition of Douglas W. Stoddart for legislation to provide for the designation of "unaffiliated" voters. Election Laws.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN VOTERS.

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 6 of chapter 53 of the General Laws is
- 2 hereby amended by striking out, in line 40, as appearing in the
- 3 1992 Official Edition, the word "unenrolled" and inserting in
- 4 place thereof the following word:— unaffiliated.
- 1 SECTION 2. Section 37A of said chapter 53, as so appearing,
- 2 is hereby amended by striking out in lines 3, 6, 9, 13, 17 and 19
- 3 the word "unenrolled" and inserting in place thereof the following
- 4 word: unaffiliated.
- 1 SECTION 3. Section 38 of said chapter 53, as so appearing, is
- 2 hereby amended by striking out, in lines 47 and 49, the word
- 3 "unenrolled" and inserting in place thereof the following word:-
- 4 unaffiliated.
- 1 SECTION 4. Section 38A of said chapter 53, as so appearing,
- 2 is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence and inserting
- 3 in place thereof the following sentence:— The board of registrars
- 4 of voters of every city or town shall submit to the secretary a
- 5 count for each precinct of the number of voters enrolled in each
- 6 political party and each political designation and the number of
- 7 unaffiliated voters.

- 1 SECTION 5. Section 72 of said chapter 53, as so appearing, is
- 2 hereby amended by striking out, in line 7, the word "unenrolled"
- 3 and inserting in place thereof the following word:— unaffiliated.
- 1 SECTION 6. Section 41 of chapter 54 of the General Laws, as
- 2 so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 16, the
- 3 word "unenrolled" and inserting in place thereof the following
- 4 word:— unaffiliated.