

**SENATE . . . . . No. 798**

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By Mr. Keating, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 798) of William R. Keating and Robert S. Bloom for legislation relative to appellate jurisdiction. The Judiciary.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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AN ACT ON APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

*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 18 of chapter 240 of the General Laws,  
2 as appearing in the 1994 Official Edition, is hereby amended by  
3 striking out in lines 3 and 4, inclusive, the words “supreme judi-  
4 cial court” and inserting in place thereof the words: — appeals  
5 court or, subject to the provisions of section ten of chapter two  
6 hundred and eleven A to the full court of the supreme judicial  
7 court,

1 SECTION 2. Section 28 of chapter 278 of the General Laws,  
2 as appearing in the 1994 Official Edition, is hereby amended by  
3 striking out in line 3 the words “supreme judicial court” and  
4 inserting in place thereof the words: — appeals court or, subject to  
5 the provisions of section ten of chapter two hundred and eleven A,  
6 to the full court of the supreme judicial court.

