

HOUSE No. 2082

By Mr. Morrissey of Quincy, petition of Michael W. Morrissey that the Metropolitan District Commission be authorized to acquire land and rights therein for flood control purposes. Urban Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION TO ACQUIRE LANDS AND RIGHTS IN LAND FOR FLOOD CONTROL PURPOSES.

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. Chapter 92 of the General Laws is hereby amend-
2 ed by inserting after section 80 the following section:—

3 *Section 80A.* The Commission, on behalf of the common-
4 wealth, may take by eminent domain under chapter seventy-nine
5 or acquire by purchase or otherwise, any lands or rights in lands,
6 watercourses, rights of way or easements that it deems necessary or
7 desirable for carrying out any powers, duties and obligations con-
8 ferred on it relative to the construction, maintenance and opera-
9 tion of flood control conduits, facilities and appurtenant works.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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