

HOUSE No. 3145

By Mrs. Cochran of Dedham, petition of Deborah R. Cochran, Sandra Graham, Iris K. Holland, Gregory William Sullivan, Barbara E. Gray, William G. Robinson and Andrew S. Natsios for legislation to require certain information to be included on real estate tax bills. Taxation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO PROPERTY TAX BILLS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Chapter 60 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking
2 out section 3A, as amended by section 19 of chapter 797 of the acts
3 of 1979, and inserting in place thereof the following section: —
4 *Section 3A.* Every tax bill or notice shall be in a form approved
5 by the commissioner and shall contain such information relative to
6 applications for abatement, interest charges, tax rates and the
7 classification of property as he may prescribe.
8 In addition to the information prescribed by the commissioner
9 each city by vote of the city council, with the approval of the
10 mayor, and each town by vote of the town meeting, or by a vote of
11 the town council in a town having a town council form of govern-
12 ment, may authorize the collector to insert with each tax bill or
13 notice additional pertinent information.

