

By Mr. McBride of Adams, petition of Anthony P. McBride (by vote of the town) that the town of Lanesborough be authorized to appropriate a certain sum of money for the payment of, and to pay a certain unpaid bill. Local Affairs. [Local Approval Received.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF LANESBOROUGH TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR THE PAYMENT OF, AND TO PAY A CERTAIN UNPAID BILL.

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. The town of Lanesborough is hereby authorized
2 to appropriate money for the payment of, and after such
3 appropriation, to pay an unpaid bill to Harris Printing the sum of
4 two thousand five hundred dollars, for the printing of the nineteen
5 hundred and seventy-seven town reports.

1 SECTION 2. No bill shall be approved by the town accountant
2 of said town for payment by or paid by the treasurer thereof under
3 authority of this act unless and until a certificate has been signed
4 and filed with said town accountant stating under the penalties of
5 perjury that the services or goods for which said bill was submitted
6 were ordered by an official or an employee of said town and that
7 such goods or services were delivered to and actually received by
8 said town.

1 SECTION 3. Any person who knowingly files a certificate
2 required by section two which is false and who thereby receives
3 payment for goods or services which were not received by said
4 town shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than one
5 year or by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars or both.

1 SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

In Mr. Nichols of Auburn, position of Auburn, N. York, the
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The Constitution of Massachusetts

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