

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 5099**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, June 16, 1994.

The committee on Public Service, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 584) of John F. Quinn, William M. Straus and another that provision be made for adequate funding of certain collective bargaining agreements, reports recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 5099) ought to pass.

For the committee,

BYRON RUSHING.

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

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AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE FUNDING OF CERTAIN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS.

*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. Paragraph (c) of section 7 of Chapter 150E, as  
2 appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, is hereby amended by strik-  
3 ing out the last sentence and inserting in place thereof the follow-  
4 ing: — The governor shall within thirty days from the date on  
5 which such request shall have been received by him, submit to the  
6 general court, a request for an appropriation necessary to fund the  
7 cost items contained therein; provided, that if the general court is  
8 not in session at that time, such request shall be submitted at the  
9 next session thereof. If the general court duly rejects the request for  
10 an appropriation necessary to fund the cost items, such cost items  
11 shall be returned to the parties for further bargaining.