

HOUSE No. 1646

By Mrs. Gray of Framingham, petition of Barbara E. Gray that provision be made for modern toilet facilities for all persons confined to locked rooms or cells. Human Services and Elderly Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE MODERN TOILET FACILITIES FOR ALL PERSONS
CONFINED TO LOCKED ROOMS OR CELLS.

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

- 1 No person confined in a correctional or mental health facility
- 2 will be kept in a locked room or cell which does not provide
- 3 running water and modern toilet facilities, unless the attending
- 4 physician certified that such facilities jeopardize the person's
- 5 health or safety.

