

HOUSE No. 4468

By Mr. Murphy of Peabody, petition of John E. Murphy, Jr., for legislation to define off premise billboard signs and other advertising devices. Commerce and Labor.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty.

AN ACT DEFINING OFF PREMISE SIGNS.

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 40A Section 6 of the General Laws, as amended by
2 Chapter 808 Section 3 of the Acts of 1975 and as amended by
3 Chapter 829 Section 3D of the Acts of 1977, is hereby amended by
4 striking out the last sentence of the first paragraph, and inserting in
5 place thereof the following sentence: —

6 This section shall apply to billboards, signs and other advertising
7 devices lawfully erected and in existence before the first publication
8 of notice described aforesaid, regardless whether or not under
9 permit from the Outdoor Advertising Division at any time.

