

# HOUSE . . . . No. 2546

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Mr. Crosby of Arlington presented a petition of Nelson B. Crosby and Hollis M. Gott that the Metropolitan District Commission be authorized to acquire certain land owned by the town of Arlington for water supply purposes. Metropolitan Affairs.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION BY THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, FOR WATER SUPPLY PURPOSES, OF CERTAIN LAND OWNED BY THE TOWN OF ARLINGTON.

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

1 The metropolitan district commission, on behalf of  
2 the commonwealth, is hereby authorized to take by  
3 eminent domain under chapter seventy-nine of the  
4 General Laws, or acquire by purchase or otherwise,  
5 and the town of Arlington is hereby authorized to sell  
6 and convey to the commonwealth, for metropolitan  
7 water supply purposes, a certain parcel of land, two  
8 hundred feet square, situated upon Turkey Hill, so  
9 called, in said town and acquired by said town for  
10 water purposes by order of taking dated September  
11 twenty-second, nineteen hundred and thirteen and  
12 recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Sep-  
13 tember thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirteen,

14 Book 3826, Page 149, and also a right or easement to  
15 use, for water supply purposes and as a way or other-  
16 wise, a certain parcel of land forty feet wide extending  
17 from Dodge street to said first mentioned parcel of  
18 land, being a portion of the land acquired by said town  
19 for park purposes by order of taking dated September  
20 twenty-second, nineteen hundred and thirteen and  
21 recorded with said Deeds, September thirtieth, nine-  
22 teen hundred and thirteen, Book 3826, Page 147, and  
23 being located substantially as shown upon a plan  
24 entitled "Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Metro-  
25 politan District Commission Water Division—Northern  
26 Extra High Service Pipe Lines — Proposed Standpipe,  
27 Force Main and Access Road. Turkey Hill—Arlington  
28 Scale 1" = 40' January 1941" on file in the office of the  
29 town engineer of said town. For said purposes said  
30 commission may expend such sums, not exceeding,  
31                   dollars, as may be appropriated therefor,  
32 which shall be apportioned and assessed upon the  
33 cities and towns of the metropolitan water district  
34 in the manner provided by section twenty-six of chap-  
35 ter ninety-two of the General Laws.