

HOUSE No. 1253

By Mr. Grimaldi of Springfield, petition of James L. Grimaldi and another for legislation to prohibit the removal of certain grave markers placed on the graves of war veterans. Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy.

AN ACT PROHIBITING THE REMOVAL OF CERTAIN GRAVE MARKERS PLACED ON THE GRAVES OF WAR VETERANS.

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

1 Notwithstanding the provisions of any special or general law
2 to the contrary, no upright standard marker decorated with
3 the flag of the United States and placed on the grave of a war
4 veteran by a duly chartered veterans' organization shall be
5 removed from such location except upon the request of the next
6 of kin of such veteran.

