

HOUSE No. 2247

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

MEMORANDUM OF COMMISSIONER OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION WITH RESPECT TO PETITION OF MICHAEL J. BATAL AND OTHERS OF THE HOUSE THAT THE TRUSTEES OF THE AUGUSTINIAN COLLEGE OF THE MERRIMACK VALLEY (COMMONLY CALLED MERRIMACK COLLEGE) BE AUTHORIZED TO CONTRACT WITH THE TOWN OF ANDOVER RELATIVE TO THE DISPOSAL OF SEWERAGE THROUGH THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM OF SAID TOWN.

MAY 17, 1948.

To the Honorable House Committee on Rules.

The above-named petition was transmitted to me by the Clerk of the House Committee on Rules on May 13, 1948, with the request for a memorandum.

The Augustinian College of the Merrimack Valley was organized as a corporation March 10, 1947, under the provisions of General Laws, chapter 180. While it may be that the existing powers of this corporation are adequate to enter into the proposed contract with the town of Andover, nevertheless a special act of the Legislature may be necessary to enable the town to contract in the manner provided in the bill.

No fee is required by General Laws, chapter 3, section 7 in the case of a corporation of this type.

It is noted that the words "The Trustees of" do not appear as a part of the corporate title. The bill has no emergency preamble although section 2 provides that it shall take effect upon its passage. No opinion is herein expressed upon the merits of the bill.

Respectfully yours,

HENRY F. LONG,

Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation.

By Mr. Batal of Lawrence, petition of Michael J. Batal and other members of the House that the Trustees of the Augustinian College of the Merrimack Valley (commonly called Merrimack College) be authorized to contract with the town of Andover relative to the disposal of sewerage through the sewerage system of said town. Towns.

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING MERRIMACK COLLEGE TO ENTER THE
SEWERAGE SYSTEM OF THE TOWN OF ANDOVER.

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. The trustees of the Augustinian Col-
2 lege of the Merrimack Valley, commonly called
3 Merrimack College, and the town of Andover by its
4 board of public works, with the approval of the board
5 of selectmen, are hereby authorized to contract with
6 each other upon such terms as may be mutually
7 agreed upon for the disposal of sewerage of said col-
8 lege into the sewerage system of the town of Andover.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its
2 passage.

