

HOUSE No. 5232

By Mr. Khoury of Lawrence, petition of Lawrence P. LeFebre (mayor) and others (with the approval of the mayor and city council) relative to validating the payment of a certain bill by the city of Lawrence, Local Affairs. [Local Approval Received.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT VALIDATING THE PAYMENT OF A CERTAIN BILL BY THE CITY OF LAWRENCE.

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. Notwithstanding the provisions of section thirty-
2 one of chapter forty-four of the General Laws or any other law to
3 the contrary, the city of Lawrence is hereby authorized to pay from
4 the Bessie Burke Hospital Loan Appropriation the sum of three
5 hundred and seventy-five dollars to John X. Foley, a construction
6 cost consultant, for services rendered by him in estimating the cost
7 of renovating the Bessie M. Burke Memorial Hospital, the bill for
8 which is legally unenforceable against said city as it was not
9 properly incurred.

1 SECTION 2. Any action taken by the city of Lawrence, the
2 board of trustees of the Bessie M. Burke Memorial Hospital, the
3 committee on accounts on the part of the city council, the city
4 auditor and city treasurer in approving and paying said bill is
5 hereby validated and confirmed as though this act was in effect at
6 the time such action was taken.

