

HOUSE No. 5707

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, June 2, 1971.

The committee on Public Service, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 949) of John M. Sullivan, William H. Hebert and John M. Quinlan for legislation to authorize payment to teachers for accumulated and unused sick leave days upon retirement; and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1013) of the Massachusetts Teachers Association and Michael J. Daly for the payment of accumulated and unused sick leave days upon retirement of public school teachers, report recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 5707) ought to pass.

For the committee,

ROBERT E. McCARTHY

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

**AN ACT AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES UPON
RETIREMENT FOR ACCUMULATED AND UNUSED SICK LEAVE.**

*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 other general law or
- 2 special act to the contrary, any city which accepts this section by
- 3 a majority vote of its city council or any town which accepts this
- 4 section by a majority vote at an annual or special town meeting
- 5 may make payments to any municipal employee, including
- 6 school department personnel, upon retirement for accumulated
- 7 and unused sick leave days.