

# SENATE . . . . No. 285

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To accompany the petition of Andrew P. Quigley, Harry Coltun and another that provision be made for the construction of an addition to the John G. B. Adams Hospital. Military Affairs and Public Safety.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Two.

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AN ACT PROVIDING FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AN ADDITION TO THE CAPTAIN JOHN G. B. ADAMS HOSPITAL; FOR CERTAIN PHYSICAL CHANGES AND FOR ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT, TO SERVE AS OUTPATIENT DEPARTMENT AT THE SOLDIERS' HOME IN MASSACHUSETTS, CHELSEA.

1 *Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would  
2 tend to defeat its purpose by depriving the Soldiers'  
3 Home of the necessary funds to erect this addition and  
4 procure equipment to furnish same; therefore, it is  
5 hereby declared to be an emergency law necessary for  
6 the preservation of the public convenience.

*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 trustees of the Soldiers' Home in Massachusetts  
2 are hereby authorized to construct an addition to an  
3 existing building known as the Captain John G. B.  
4 Adams Hospital; to make certain physical changes  
5 within the hospital, and purchase equipment for it

6 to serve as an outpatient department; it shall ade-  
7 quately handle the medical care and treatment of  
8 male and female veterans, and, after an appropriation  
9 has been made therefor, the trustees may expend  
10 two hundred and fifty thousand dollars for such pur-  
11 poses.