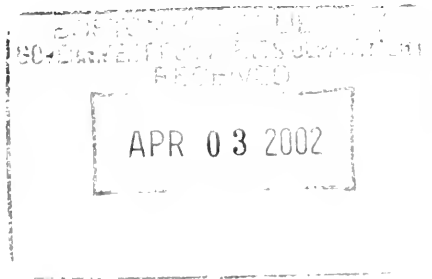


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Referendum Petition On An Existing Law

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was approved by the House of Representatives on May 20, 1987, by a vote of 93-58, and approved by the Senate on May 20, 1987, by a vote of 31-17?

SUMMARY

The law provides a salary increase, effective January 7, 1987, for the members of the legislature and certain constitutional officers of the Commonwealth.

Beginning at a base salary of \$30,000, each member of the legislature will receive a salary increase under the law equal to the compounded percentage increase in the salaries of full time state employees who are subject to collective bargaining agreements between the Commonwealth and the ALLIANCE, AFSCME - SEIU, AFL - CIO in effect between January 5, 1983 and

January 7, 1987. Thereafter the salaries of each member of the legislature will be increased by the same percentages as the salaries of full time state employees subject to the collective bargaining agreements.

The law further provides that members of the legislature holding leadership positions and committee chairmanships will receive an annual sum in addition to their salary. This additional amount will vary from \$7,500 to \$35,000 depending upon the particular position the member holds. The law also increases the salaries of certain constitutional officers. Under the law the salary of the governor is set at \$85,000; the salaries of the lieutenant governor, state secretary, state treasurer and the state auditor are set at \$70,000; and the salary of the attorney general is set at \$75,000.

Any individual may waive his or her salary increase under this law. Any amount so waived shall not be deemed regular compensation for the purposes of computing any such person's benefits and shall be exempt from state taxation.

Aggregate of Votes	Total Ballots			Total Ballots
	Yes	No	Blanks	
Barnstable	16040	80564	5759	102363
Berkshire	8403	49820	5731	63954
Bristol	26365	154355	17450	198170
Dukes	1753	4771	555	7079
Essex	49633	245648	16917	312198
Franklin	4820	27210	1571	33601
Hampden	25253	132227	19132	176612
Hampshire	12799	49585	3535	65919
Middlesex	122061	512998	41208	676267
Nantucket	944	2582	237	3763
Norfolk	52163	248476	17173	317812
Plymouth	28328	165018	8761	202107
Suffolk	40582	154758	34953	230293
Worcester	39864	237520	22107	299491
Totals	429008	2065532	195089	2689629
Barnstable County				
Barnstable	3385	16232	1050	20667
Bourne	978	5613	508	7099
Brewster	749	3800	235	4784
Chatham	683	3710	188	4581
Dennis	1154	6664	552	8370
Eastham	417	2323	102	2842
Falmouth	2774	11438	920	15132
Berkshire County				
Adams	610	3855	194	4659
Alford	34	178	11	223
Becket	62	463	50	575
Cheshire	189	1446	50	1685
Clarksburg	105	740	33	878
Dalton	453	2666	225	3344
Egremont	96	567	48	711
Florida	55	310	17	382
Great Barrington	503	2427	288	3218
Hancock	39	268	10	317
Hinsdale	87	652	68	807
Lanesborough	138	787	450	1375
Lee	277	2069	285	2631
Lenox	370	2176	208	2754
Monterey	94	320	26	440

Mt. Washington	10	55	4	69	Edgartown	421	1195	117	1733
New Ashford	14	105	4	123	Gay Head	26	100	11	137
New Marlborough	93	473	30	596	Gosnold	15	80	8	103
NORTH ADAMS	1014	5056	429	6499	Oak Bluffs	390	1187	150	1727
Ous	54	397	38	489	Tisbury	416	1221	155	1792
Pepp	34	354	13	301	West Tisbury	327	671	82	1080
PITTSFIELD	2304	17026	2679	22009	Totals	1753	4771	555	7079
Richmond	121	737	40	898	Essex County				
Sandsfield	32	236	24	292	Amesbury	1090	4603	510	6203
Savoy	20	221	6	247	Andover	3280	11748	529	15557
Sheffield	179	1162	86	1427	BEVERLY	2872	15173	1014	19059
Stockbridge	321	1012	1435		Boxford	726	2834	58	3618
Tyringham	19	184	6	209	Danvers	1855	10372	433	12660
Washington	28	212	4	244	Essex	261	1480	33	1774
West Stockbridge	117	611	47	775	Georgetown	2656	540	70	3266
Williamstown	877	2813	249	3939	GLOUCESTER	2275	10211	1029	13515
Windsor	54	342	7	403	Groveland	362	2362	47	2771
Totals	8403	49820	5731	63954	Hamilton	772	3161	122	4055

Bristol County

Acushnet	510	3738	324	4572	HAVERHILL	3234	16529	1066	20829
ATTLEBORO	1898	11626	930	14454	Ipswich	1328	4966	201	6495
Berkley	172	1392	62	1626	LAWRENCE	2499	13749	210	18358
Dartmouth	1309	8970	1538	11817	LYNN	3073	26311	2114	32398
Dighton	380	2046	201	2627	Lynnfield	958	5664	157	6779
Easton	2044	7201	168	9413	Manchester	643	2580	144	3367
Fairhaven	724	5776	946	7446	Marblehead	3018	8874	680	12572
FALL RIVER	4226	21011	4652	29889	Merrimac	340	2089	57	2486
Freetown	448	2984	112	3544	Methuen	2887	14605	1254	18746
Mansfield	1068	6305	183	7556	Middleton	475	2210	102	2659
NEW BEDFORD	4190	26124	3232	33546	Nahant	475	1908	82	2465
North Attleborough	1306	8432	487	10225	Newbury	573	2589	79	3241
Norton	778	4706	219	5703	NEWBURYPORT	1606	6538	462	8606
Raynham	621	3864	164	4649	North Andover	2230	9179	333	11742
Rehoboth	580	3301	190	4071	PEABODY	3131	18932	1141	23204
Seekonk	796	4800	414	6010	Rockport	807	3201	157	4165
Somerset	1287	7681	649	9617	Rowley	346	1818	68	2232
Swansea	1084	5443	662	7189	SALEM	2585	14126	1115	17826
TAUNTON	2059	13755	1750	17564	Salisbury	405	2614	193	3212
Westport	885	5200	567	6652	Saugus	1426	10773	701	12900
Totals	26365	154355	17450	198170	Swampscott	1461	5978	676	8115
Dukes County					Topsfield	633	2642	67	3342
Chilmark	158	317	32	507	Wenham	384	1592	77	2053
					West Newbury	311	1581	36	1928
					Totals	49633	245648	16917	312198

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Franklin County				
Ashtield	167	723	34	924
Barnardston	94	852	64	1010
Buckland	158	832	30	1020
Charlmont	67	506	21	594
Colrain	90	682	43	815
Conway	164	677	31	872
Deerfield	476	2100	78	2654
Erving	69	643	13	725
Gill	110	614	16	740
Greenfield	914	6805	584	8303
Hawley	22	131	4	157
Heath	46	274	26	346
Leverett	286	691	32	1009
Leyden	31	293	19	343
Monroe	6	70	5	81
Montague	561	3211	186	3958
New Salem	68	375	9	452
Northfield	162	1223	51	1436
Orange	310	2474	108	2892
Rowe	32	210	6	248
Shelburne	133	869	52	1054
Shutesbury	243	546	24	813
Sunderland	370	1083	80	1533
Warwick	41	306	5	352
Wendell	73	346	19	438
Whately	127	674	31	832
Totals	4820	27210	1571	33601

Hampden County

Agawam	1531	9196	1020	11747
Blandford	92	441	16	549
Brimfield	169	1075	42	1286
Chester	71	449	13	533
CHICOPEE	3070	18810	1397	23277
East Longmeadow	1048	5489	350	6887
Granville	85	549	23	657
Hampden	359	1901	89	2349
Holland	133	755	24	912
HOLYOKE	2085	10749	3046	15880
Longmeadow	2026	6126	699	8851
Ludlow	935	6277	730	7942

Middlesex County

Action	2241	7166	322	9729
Arlington	5355	19985	1517	26857
Ashby	164	1109	22	1295
Ashland	1088	4819	165	6072
Ayer	295	1898	58	2251

Hampshire County

Amherst	3771	7655	897	12323
Belchertown	747	3347	219	4313
Chesterfield	62	381	36	479
Cummington	70	333	11	414
Easthampton	973	6123	286	7382
Goshen	67	332	14	413
Granby	277	2043	180	2500
Hadley	472	2074	98	2644
Hatfield	293	1466	83	1842
Huntington	108	631	36	775
Middlefield	24	166	15	205
NORTHAMPTON	3287	10238	767	14292
Pelham	253	489	25	767
Pianfield	53	214	7	274
South Hadley	1171	6420	541	8132
Southampton	271	1900	64	2235
Ware	452	3708	187	4347
Westhampton	110	615	14	739
Williamsburg	268	949	45	1262
Worthington	70	501	10	581
Totals	12799	49585	3535	65919

Bedford	1235	4854	395	6484	Winchester	2358	9286	646	12290
Belmont	3407	10939	856	15202	WOBURN	1906	14256	1418	17580
Billerica	2011	13419	508	15938	Totals	122061	512998	41208	676267
Boxborough	332	1330	39	1701					
Burlington	1619	9474	776	11869					
CAMBRIDGE					Nantucket County				
Carlisle	13451	25293	3836	42580	Nantucket	944	2582	237	3763
Chelmsford	569	1920	59	2548	Totals	944	2582	237	3763
Concord	2370	14296	465	17131					
Concord	2311	6627	594	9532					
Draut	1197	10127	573	11897					
Dunstable	168	963	21	1152	Norfolk County				
EVERETT	1696	11953	2370	16019	Avon	337	2204	106	2637
Frammingham	5268	22883	1393	29544	Bellingham	919	5529	277	6725
Groton	725	2972	78	3775	Braintree	2358	15309	687	18444
Holliston	1196	5890	209	7295	Brookline	7992	17293	3085	28370
Hopkinton	866	3759	95	4720	Canton	1659	7958	877	10494
Ipswich	1074	6504	215	7793	Dedham	1785	10576	941	13302
Lexington	4283	12462	1222	17967	Dover	644	2400	80	3124
Lincoln	954	2121	139	3214	Foxborough	1179	6235	159	7573
Littleton	640	3074	114	3828	Franklin	1536	7790	464	9790
LOWELL	4164	25426	2337	31927	Holbrook	691	4739	253	5683
MALDEN	2799	18261	2031	23091	Medfield	1024	4837	143	6004
MARLBOROUGH	2039	11932	375	14346	Medway	708	3881	218	4807
Maynard	808	4295	149	5252	Millis	634	3330	81	4045
MEDFORD	4399	22491	2126	29016	Milton	2895	11895	657	15447
MELROSE	2367	12410	1030	15807	Needham	2992	13604	712	17308
Natick	2948	12769	909	16626	Norfolk	657	3229	52	3038
NEWTON	11777	28890	3152	43819	Norwood	2058	11801	1282	15141
North Reading	889	5539	160	6588	Plainville	387	2561	146	3094
Pepperell	608	3655	82	4345	QUINCY	5614	32875	2598	41087
Reading	1934	10642	433	13009	Randolph	1889	11960	754	14603
Sherborn	555	1986	60	2601	Sharon	1835	6753	286	8874
Shirley	276	1782	47	2105	Stoughton	1732	10129	640	12501
SOMERVILLE	7135	22234	2442	31811	Walpole	1586	8613	407	10606
Stonham	1487	9412	575	11474	Wellesley	3780	10342	665	14787
Stow	586	2389	52	3027	Westwood	1145	6519	310	7974
Sudbury	1792	6510	419	8721	Weymouth	3548	22770	1131	27449
Tewksbury	1450	10775	212	12437	Wrentham	589	3254	162	4005
Townsend	483	3181	116	3780	Totals	52163	248476	17173	317812
Tyngsborough	397	3241	81	3719					
Waketield	1794	11162	584	13540	Plymouth County				
WALTHAM	3341	18015	2826	24182	Abington	720	5702	284	6706
Watertown	3548	12635	1536	17719	Bridgewater	1013	6414	384	7811
Wayland	1745	5414	275	7434	BROCKTON	4148	26065	2242	32455
Westford	1360	6876	291	8527					
Weston	1694	4335	288	6317					
Wilmington	907	7362	515	8784					

QUESTION 1

Plymouth County (Continued)

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Carver	552	4140	119	4811
Cohasset	886	3361	173	4420
Duxbury	1530	6060	300	7890
East Bridgewater	437	4000	242	4679
Halifax	376	2795	110	3281
Hanover	851	5376	158	6385
Hanson	546	3458	181	4185
Hingham	2284	9333	461	12078
Hull	630	4181	254	5065
Kingston	708	3550	172	4430
Lakeville	470	3031	80	3581
Marion	414	1915	71	2400
Marshfield	2017	8938	308	11263
Matapoisett	444	2849	112	3405
Middleborough	864	6137	234	7235
Norwell	796	4242	250	5288
Pembroke	990	5873	183	7046
Plymouth	2591	16006	1002	19599
Plympton	165	1032	37	1234
Rochester	191	1632	33	1856
Rockland	753	6144	341	7238
Scituate	1837	7787	346	9970
Wareham	1064	6649	345	8058
West Bridgewater	354	3172	82	3608
Whitman	697	5176	257	6130
Totals	28328	165018	8761	202107

Suffolk County

BOSTON	36028	125282	31107	192417
CHELSEA	1224	6876	1149	9249
REVERE	2104	14992	1813	18909
Winthrop	1226	7608	884	9718
Totals	40582	154758	34953	230293

Worcester County

Ashburnham	359	1870	64	2293
Attol	427	3436	494	4357
Auburn	954	6515	585	8054
Barre	321	1910	95	2326
Berlin	177	1013	32	1222

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Blackstone	388	2664	259	3311
Bolton	330	1393	32	1755
Boylston	270	1632	54	1956
Brookfield	130	1137	52	1319
Charlton	622	2872	94	3588
Clinton	693	5039	324	6056
Douglas	243	1949	46	2238
Dudley	415	3214	265	3894
East Brookfield	91	815	28	934
FITCHBURG	1597	11985	1045	14627
GARDNER	985	5423	1326	7734
Grafton	885	5013	258	6156
Hardwick	118	975	57	1150
Harvard	644	2215	68	2927
Holden	2042	5652	358	8052
Hopedale	407	2378	116	2901
Hubbardston	153	995	29	1177
Lancaster	347	2394	82	2823
Leicester	589	3863	175	4627
LEOMINSTER	2034	12868	748	15650
Lunenburg	491	3901	147	4539
Mendon	289	1598	51	1938
Milford	1576	8905	735	11216
Millbury	768	4688	251	5707
Millville	121	810	54	985
New Braintree	38	378	15	431
North Brookfield	194	1939	71	2204
Northborough	972	4838	175	5985
Northbridge	613	4874	504	5991
Oakham	107	640	18	765
Oxford	457	4286	314	5057
Paxton	312	1867	52	2231
Petersham	103	542	24	669
Phillipston	77	488	13	578
Princeton	209	1530	36	1775
Royalston	63	387	11	461
Rutland	257	1743	160	2160
Shrewsbury	1716	10216	604	12536
Southborough	689	3047	81	3817
Southbridge	976	5037	762	6775
Spencer	574	4208	259	5041
Sterling	409	2960	74	3443
Sturbridge	543	2885	190	3618
Sutton	371	2674	105	3150
Templeton	305	2350	92	2747

Upton	344	2028	67	2439
Uxbridge	581	3811	207	4599
Warren	203	1655	82	1940
Webster	640	5293	484	6417
West Boylston	358	2944	102	3404
West Brookfield	168	1398	60	1626
Westborough	1228	5830	259	7317
Westminster	432	2553	92	3077
Winchendon	335	2421	217	2973
WORCESTER	8124	43576	9053	60753
Totals	39864	237520	22107	299491

QUESTION 2

Law Proposed By Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 3, 1988, by a vote of 24-123, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 4, 1988?

SUMMARY

The proposed law would repeal state law requiring that the wages, including payments to health and welfare plans, paid to persons employed in the construction of public works be no less than the wages paid locally under existing collective bargaining agreements and understandings, or by the

municipality, for the same kind of work. Under the proposed law, the Commissioner of Labor and Industries would no longer set wages rates for such work or classify jobs.

The proposed law would also remove the Commissioner of Labor and Industries' authority to set the wage rates of employees of contractors who move office furniture and fixtures for the state or a county, city, town or district, and remove the Commissioner's authority to set the wage rates of operators of vehicles and other equipment engaged in public works.

The proposed law would not change the way wages are set for laborers employed by the state Department of Public Works and the Metropolitan District Commission.

Aggregate Totals	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable	47854	49028	5481	102363
Berkshire	25348	34001	4605	63954
Bristol	64614	121208	12348	198170
Dukes	2946	3499	634	7079
Essex	132587	166112	13499	312198
Franklin	12938	19198	1465	33601
Hamden	59060	103503	14049	176612
Hampshire	22536	40496	2887	65919
Middlesex	286521	355717	34029	676267
Nantucket	1385	2115	263	3763
Norfolk	132805	172732	12775	317812
Plymouth	85187	110529	6391	202107
Suffolk	63178	140876	26239	230293
Worcester	126865	160305	12321	299491
Totals	1063324	1479319	146986	2689629

Barnstable County	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable	9987	9659	1021	20667
Bourne	3067	3550	482	7099
Brewster	2403	2260	221	4784
Chatham	2412	1985	184	4581
Dennis	3929	3892	549	8370
Eastham	1358	1405	79	2842
Falmouth	6334	7887	911	15132
Harwich	3019	2884	415	6318
Mashpee	1480	1936	136	3552
Orleans	2196	1688	275	4159
Provincetown	827	1124	160	2111
Sandwich	3831	3812	209	7852
Truro	516	491	52	1059
Wellfleet	781	815	78	1674
Yarmouth	5814	5640	709	12163
Totals	47854	49028	5481	102363

QUESTION 2

Berkshire County

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Adams	1568	2896	195	4659
Alford	123	83	17	223
Becket	251	275	49	575
Cheshire	638	1006	41	1685
Clarksburg	270	576	32	878
Dalton	1396	1780	168	3344
Egremont	393	267	51	711
Florida	108	258	16	382
Great Barrington	1631	1342	245	3218
Hancock	138	173	6	317
Hinsdale	282	476	49	807
Lanesborough	532	698	145	1375
Lee	1148	1250	233	2631
Lenox	1410	1134	210	2754
Monterey	239	165	36	440
Mt. Washington	37	23	9	69
New Ashford	60	59	4	123
New Marlborough	298	260	38	596
NORTH ADAMS	1876	4254	369	6499
Otis	189	269	31	489
Peru	130	157	14	301
PITTSFIELD	7965	11969	2075	22009
Richmond	496	377	25	898
Sandisfield	107	165	20	292
Savoy	76	167	4	247
Sheffield	755	566	106	1427
Stockbridge	715	614	106	1435
Tyringham	112	89	8	209
Washington	126	115	3	244
West Stockbridge	360	374	41	775
Williamstown	1713	1975	251	3939
Windsor	206	189	8	403
Totals	25348	34001	4605	63954

Bristol County

Acushnet	1294	3006	182	4572
ATTLEBORO	5762	7803	889	14454
Berkley	569	1024	33	1626
Dartmouth	4171	6148	1498	11817
Dighton	966	1591	70	2627
Easton	4413	4873	127	9413
Fairhaven	2203	4376	867	7446

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
FALL RIVER	6319	20660	2910	29889
Freewtown	1339	2145	60	3544
Mansfield	3393	4018	145	7556
NEW BEDFORD	9070	22224	2252	33546
North Attleborough	4532	5264	429	10225
Norton	2309	3234	160	5703
Raynham	1953	2585	111	4649
Rehoboth	1474	2427	170	4071
Seekonk	2270	3346	394	6010
Somerset	2876	6381	360	9617
Swansea	2177	4793	219	7189
TAUNTON	5415	10987	1162	17564
Westport	2109	4233	310	6652
Totals	64614	121208	12348	198170

Dukes County

Chilmark	241	230	36	507
Edgartown	751	846	136	1733
Gay Head	74	49	14	137
Gosnold	40	53	10	103
Oak Bluffs	657	904	166	1727
Tisbury	711	909	172	1792
West Tisbury	472	508	100	1080
Totals	2946	3499	634	7079

Essex County

Amesbury	2471	3273	459	6203
Andover	8351	6738	468	15557
BEVERLY	8229	10099	731	19059
Boxford	2329	1216	73	3618
Danvers	5855	6403	402	12660
Essex	811	924	39	1774
Georgetown	1530	1671	65	3266
GLOUCESTER	5104	7636	775	13515
Groveland	1168	1563	40	2771
Hamilton	2233	1691	131	4055
HAVERHILL	7879	12146	804	20829
Ipswich	3097	3201	197	6495
LAWRENCE	5675	10990	1693	18358
LYNN	10323	20447	1628	32398
Lynnfield	3921	2731	127	6779
Manchester	1816	1423	128	3367

Marblehead	6817	5123	632	12572	Wendell	171	243	24	438
Merrimac	978	1453	55	2486	Whately	300	517	15	832
Methuen	7350	10667	729	18746	Totals	12938	19198	1465	33601
Middleton	1235	1343	81	2659					
Nahant	1068	1329	68	2465					

Hampden County

Newbury	1565	1591	85	3241	Agawam	4205	6933	609	11747
NEWBURYPORT	3650	4484	472	8606	Andover	257	276	16	549
North Andover	5820	5644	278	11742	Blandford	489	760	37	1286
PLAIBODY	9434	12970	800	23204	Brimfield	201	317	15	533
Rockport	1923	2090	152	4165	Chester	7442	14915	920	23277
Rowley	1109	1067	56	2232	CHICOPPE	2778	3868	241	6887
Salem	6765	10224	837	17826	East Longmeadow	307	332	18	657
SALFEM	1273	1781	158	3212	Granville	938	1344	67	2349
Salisbury	4732	7650	518	12900	Hampden	372	519	21	912
Saugus	3876	3600	639	8115	Holland	4572	8895	2413	15880
Swampscott	1902	1369	71	3342	HOLYOKE	4167	4078	606	8851
Topsfield	1234	748	71	2053	Longmeadow	2574	5003	365	7942
Wenham	1064	827	37	1928	Ludlow	1195	1983	122	3300
West Newbury					Monson	155	190	9	354
Totals	132587	166112	13499	312198	Montgomery	1909	3464	220	5593
					Palmer	217	374	16	607
					Russell	1113	2068	45	3226
					Southwick	12532	28666	6496	47694
					SPRINGFIELD	66	72	6	144
					Tolland	213	368	14	595
					Wales	4506	6729	672	11907
					West Springfield	5584	9184	591	15359
					WESTFIELD	3268	3165	530	6963
					Wilbraham				
					Totals	59060	103503	14049	176612

Hampshire County

Amherst	3747	7613	963	12323
Belchertown	1489	2685	139	4313
Chesterfield	190	277	12	479
Cummington	186	218	10	414
Easthampton	2715	4422	245	7382
Goshen	182	220	11	413
Granby	874	1482	144	2500
Hadley	948	1598	98	2644
Hatfield	606	1178	58	1842
Huntington	293	462	20	775
Middlefield	93	104	8	205
NORTHAMPTON	4339	9348	605	14292
Pelham	299	444	24	767

Ashfield	386	502	36	924
Barnardston	402	573	35	1010
Buckland	393	596	31	1020
Charlmont	254	318	22	594
Colran	340	440	35	815
Conway	370	477	25	872
Deerfield	1071	1507	76	2654
Erving	239	477	9	725
Gill	274	448	18	740
Greenfield	3167	4556	580	8303
Hawley	68	83	6	157
Heath	127	200	19	346
Leverett	347	631	31	1009
Leicester	136	197	10	343
Monroe	34	40	7	81
Montague	1423	2378	157	3958
New Salem	182	261	9	452
Northfield	617	761	58	1436
Orange	1145	1641	106	2892
Rose	126	115	7	248
Shelburne	457	549	48	1054
Shutesbury	268	517	28	813
Sunderland	478	1001	54	1533
Warwick	163	170	19	352

Franklin County

Marblehead	6817	5123	632	12572
Merrimac	978	1453	55	2486
Methuen	7350	10667	729	18746
Middleton	1235	1343	81	2659
Nahant	1068	1329	68	2465
Newbury	1565	1591	85	3241
NEWBURYPORT	3650	4484	472	8606
North Andover	5820	5644	278	11742
PLAIBODY	9434	12970	800	23204
Rockport	1923	2090	152	4165
Rowley	1109	1067	56	2232
Salem	6765	10224	837	17826
SALFEM	1273	1781	158	3212
Salisbury	4732	7650	518	12900
Saugus	3876	3600	639	8115
Swampscott	1902	1369	71	3342
Topsfield	1234	748	71	2053
Wenham	1064	827	37	1928
West Newbury				
Totals	132587	166112	13499	312198

Hampshire County (Continued)

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Plainfield	120	143	11	274
South Hadley	3059	4717	356	8132
Southington	965	1234	36	2235
Ware	1395	2863	89	4347
Westhampton	303	421	15	739
Williamstown	417	817	28	1262
Worthington	316	250	15	581
Totals	22536	40496	2887	65919

Middlesex County

Action	5483	3880	366	9729
Arlington	10705	14926	1226	26857
Ashtab	683	589	23	1295
Ashtab	2918	181	6072	2251
Ayer	993	1212	46	2251
Bedford	3228	2870	386	6484
Belmont	7048	7375	779	15202
Billerica	6606	8983	349	15938
Boxborough	986	677	38	1701
Burlington	5397	5747	725	11869
CAMBRIDGE	13465	26001	3114	42580
Carlisle	1626	854	68	2548
Chelmsford	9052	7692	387	17131
Concord	4944	3955	633	9532
Dracut	4831	6582	484	11897
Dunstable	554	583	15	1152
EVERETT	4256	9894	1869	16019
Framingham	13497	14853	1194	29544
Groton	2053	1633	89	3775
Holliston	3564	3523	208	7295
Hopkinton	2492	2136	92	4720
Hudson	3647	4001	145	7793
Lexington	8815	7991	1161	17967
Lincoln	1913	1195	106	3214
Littleton	2000	1754	74	3828
LOWELL	11916	18373	1638	31927
MALDEN	7261	14344	1486	23091
MARLBOROUGH	6179	7856	311	14346
Maynard	2436	2661	155	5252
MEDFORD	9783	17930	1303	29016
MELROSE	6466	8523	818	15807
Natick	7581	8209	836	16626

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
NEWTON	19287	21453	3079	43819
North Reading	3264	3198	126	6588
Pepperell	2187	2078	80	4345
Reading	6488	6180	341	13009
Sherborn	1592	941	68	2601
Shirley	971	1091	43	2105
SOMERVILLE	8831	21483	1497	31811
Stonham	4780	6327	367	11474
Stow	1742	1238	47	3027
Sudbury	4901	3393	427	8721
Tewksbury	5711	6543	183	12437
Townsend	1776	1899	105	3780
Tyngsborough	1712	1965	42	3719
Waketield	6022	7108	410	13540
WALTHAM	8986	12832	2364	24182
Watertown	6326	10068	1325	17719
Wayland	4199	2961	274	7434
Westford	4965	3767	265	8527
Weston	3839	2113	365	6317
Wilmington	3583	4771	430	8784
Winchester	6600	5114	576	12290
WOBURN	6851	9419	1310	17580
Totals	286521	355717	34029	676267

Nantucket County

Nantucket	1385	2115	263	3763
Totals	1385	2115	263	3763

Norfolk County

Avon	890	1691	56	2637
Beddingham	2698	3812	215	6725
Braintree	7220	10769	455	18444
Brookline	11767	13609	2994	28370
Canton	4412	5540	542	10494
Dedham	5171	7688	443	13302
Dover	1909	1028	97	3124
Foxborough	3187	4245	141	7573
Franklin	4068	5370	352	9790
Holbrook	2099	3396	188	5683
Medfield	3184	2702	118	6004
Medway	2109	2495	203	4807

Millis	1946	2022	77	4045	Whitman	2436	3529	165	6130
Milton	6857	8189	401	15447	Totals	85187	110529	6391	202107
Needham	8164	758	758	17308	Suffolk County				
Norfolk	2037	1857	44	3938	BOSTON	51290	117588	23539	192417
Norwood	5978	8548	615	15141	CHELSEA	2589	5942	718	9249
Plainville	1351	1602	141	3094	REVERE	5748	11921	1240	18909
QUINCY	13667	25802	1618	41087	Winthrop	3551	5425	742	9718
Randolph	5339	8736	207	8874	Totals	63178	140876	26239	230293
Sharon	4317	4350	302	82501	Worcester County				
Stoughton	4878	7231	392	12501	Ashburnham	1049	1185	59	2293
Walpole	4777	5499	330	10606	Athol	1826	2349	182	4357
Wellesley	8164	5906	717	14787	Auburn	3205	4369	480	8054
Westwood	4099	3624	251	7974	Barre	903	1365	58	2326
Weymouth	10007	16673	769	27449	Berlin	625	570	27	1222
Wrentham	1698	2184	123	4005	Blackstone	1104	2027	180	3311
Totals	132305	172732	12775	317812	Bolton	973	759	23	1755
Plymouth County					Boylston	1029	904	23	1956
Abington	2588	3020	198	6706	Brookfield	534	750	35	1319
Bridgewater	1348	4419	244	7811	Charlton	1491	2015	82	3588
BROCKTON	11314	19637	1504	32455	Clinton	2199	3619	238	6056
Carver	1908	2825	78	4811	Douglas	979	1222	37	2238
Cohasset	2439	1824	157	4420	Dudley	1764	1955	175	3894
Duxbury	4335	3268	287	7890	East Brookfield	432	487	15	934
East Bridgewater	1296	1910	75	3281	FITCHBURG	6183	7631	813	14627
Halifax	2804	3498	83	6385	GARDNER	3161	4205	368	7734
Hanover	1581	2330	274	4185	Grafton	2560	3435	161	6156
Hanson	1581	2330	274	4185	Hardwick	426	703	21	1150
Hingham	6207	5513	358	12078	Harvard	1932	919	76	2927
Hull	1799	3065	201	5065	Holden	4283	3425	344	8052
Kingston	1905	2443	82	4430	Hopedale	1308	1485	108	2901
Lakeville	1679	1847	55	3581	Hubbardston	542	616	19	1177
Marion	1250	1101	49	2400	Lancaster	1324	1420	79	2823
Marshfield	4885	6184	194	11263	Leicester	1743	2784	100	4627
Matapoisett	1644	1681	80	3405	LEOMINSTER	7059	7958	633	15650
Middleborough	2905	4178	152	7235	Lunenburg	2325	2056	158	4539
Norwell	2786	2292	210	5288	Mendon	898	1004	36	1938
Pembroke	2911	4031	104	7046	Milford	4340	6387	489	11216
Plymouth	8205	10478	916	19599	Millbury	2115	3445	147	5707
Plympton	578	633	23	1234	Milville	327	619	39	985
Rochester	750	1083	23	1856	New Braintree	177	239	15	431
Rockland	2613	4418	207	7238	North Brookfield	988	1169	47	2204
Scituate	4841	4921	208	9970	Northborough	3136	2651	198	5985
Wareham	2843	5014	201	8058					
West Bridgewater	1593	1960	55	3608					

QUESTION 2

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Worcester County (Continued)								
Northbridge	2546	3086	359	5991				
Oakham	318		10	765				
Oxford	1814	3007	236	5057				
Faxon	1174	1012	45	2231				
Petersham	316	329	24	669				
Phillipston	230	337	11	578				
Princeton	1031	684	60	1775				
Royalston	200	242	19	461				
Rutland	998	1063	99	2160				
Shrewsbury	5892	6181	463	12536				
Southborough	2035	1704	78	3817				
Southbridge	2601	3552	622	6775				
Spencer	1908	2980	153	5041				
Sterling	1753	1639	51	3443				
Surbridge	1773	1679	166	3618				
Sutton	1359	1708	83	3150				
Templeton	1161	1504	82	2747				
Upton	1138	1241	60	2439				
Uxbridge	2009	2462	128	4599				
Warren	644	1254	42	1940				
Webster	2735	3387	295	6417				
West Boylston	1774	1571	59	3404				
West Brookfield	745	842	39	1626				
Westborough	3892	3151	274	7317				
Westminster	1404	1586	87	3077				
Winchendon	1229	1572	172	2973				
WORCESTER	21246	36368	3139	60753				
Totals	128665	160305	12321	299491				

QUESTION 3

Law Proposed By Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 2, 1988, by a vote of 2 - 150, and disapproved by the Senate on May 3, 1988, by a vote of 0 - 34?

SUMMARY

The proposed law would require the Commissioner of the Department of Food and Agriculture to issue regulations to ensure that farm animals are maintained in good health and that cruel or inhumane practices are not used in the raising, handling or transportation of farm animals.

The Commissioner would issue regulations, effective within four years after passage of the proposed law, about the surgical procedures used on farm animals, the transportation and slaughter of farm animals, and the diet and

housing of those animals. The Director of the Division of Animal Health could issue exemption permits for a period of time up to one year and one half to any farmer.

Under the proposed measure, an unpaid Scientific Advisory Board on Farm Animal Welfare comprised of veterinarians and animal scientists would also be established within the Department of Food and Agriculture. The Board would examine animal agricultural practices, issue for publication certain reports on farm practices, and make non-binding recommendations to the Commissioner about specific regulations. If appropriated by the legislature, the Board may allocate an annual sum of not more than ten cents per Massachusetts citizen to assist farmers in adopting methods which are consistent with the purposes of this law.

The Director of the Division of Animal Health would be responsible for enforcing regulations issued as a result of this proposed law. Persons who violate the new law would be punished by a fine of up to \$1,000.

Aggregate Totals	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable	31277	63883	7203	102363
Berkshire	17029	41106	5819	63954
Bristol	63427	115850	18893	198170
Dukes	2840	3789	450	7079
Essex	81896	212866	17436	312198
Franklin	5476	26861	1264	33601
Hampton	50958	104459	21195	176612
Hampshire	17267	45359	3293	65919
Middlesex	178108	456695	41464	676267
Nantucket	1934	1581	248	3763
Norfolk	84943	216605	16264	317812
Plymouth	50838	142456	8813	202107
Suffolk	70314	124297	35682	230293
Worcester	57692	225365	16434	299491
Totals	713999	1781172	194458	2689629

Barnstable County

Barnstable	6686	12916	1065	20667
Bourne	1775	4787	537	7099
Brewster	1502	3068	214	4784
Chatham	1376	2924	181	4581
Dennis	2311	5486	573	8370
Eastham	779	1982	81	2842
Falmouth	4807	9462	863	15132

Harwich	1774	2568	1976	6318
Mashpee	1180	2188	184	3552
Orleans	1159	2752	248	4159
Provincetown	1081	891	139	2111
Sandwich	2285	5343	224	7852
Taunton	360	646	53	1059
Wellfleet	532	1070	72	1674
Yarmouth	3570	7800	793	12163
Totals	31277	63883	7203	102363

Berkshire County

Adams	1141	3281	237	4659
Alford	51	156	16	223
Becket	145	385	45	575
Cheshire	376	1257	52	1685
Clarksburg	229	609	40	878
Dalton	864	2255	225	3344
Egremont	163	519	29	711
Florida	84	282	16	382
Great Barrington	869	2062	287	3218
Hancock	65	245	7	317
Hinsdale	233	518	56	807
Lee	294	925	156	1375
Lenox	617	1695	319	2631
Monterey	778	1747	229	2754
Monticue	119	300	21	440

Berkshire County (Continued)

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Mt. Washington	16	49	4	69
New Ashford	31	88	4	123
New Marlborough	166	406	24	596
NORTH ADAMS	1826	4168	505	6499
Otis	129	327	33	489
Peter	59	234	8	301
PITTSFIELD	6087	12902	3020	22009
Richmond	232	638	28	898
Sandisfield	106	165	21	292
Savoy	51	195	1	247
Sheffield	386	978	63	1427
Stockbridge	505	850	80	1435
Tyringham	42	164	3	209
Washington	59	184	1	244
West Stockbridge	200	515	60	775
Williamstown	1031	2681	227	3939
Windsor	75	326	2	403
Totals	17029	41106	5819	63954

Bristol County

Acushnet	1483	2741	348	4572
ATTLEBORO	4386	9086	982	14454
Berkley	423	1161	42	1626
Dartmouth	3282	6831	1704	11817
Dighton	536	1902	189	2627
Easton	2063	7151	199	9413
Fairhaven	2200	4204	1042	7446
FALL RIVER	10963	13954	4972	29889
Freetown	1115	2331	98	3544
Mansfield	1817	5525	214	7556
NEW BEDFORD	13035	16558	3953	33546
North Attleborough	2768	7005	452	10225
Norton	1402	4096	205	5703
Raynham	1144	3297	208	4649
Rehoboth	1294	2585	192	4071
Seekonk	2502	3082	426	6610
Somerset	3467	5439	711	9617
Swansea	2610	3989	590	7189
TAUNTON	1761	11059	1761	17564
Westport	2193	3854	605	6652
Totals	63427	115850	18893	198170

Dukes County

Chilmark	300	191	16	507
Edgartown	685	940	108	1733
Gay Head	52	75	10	137
Gosnold	42	52	9	103
Oak Bluffs	703	881	143	1727
Tisbury	729	935	128	1792
West Tisbury	329	715	36	1080
Totals	2840	3789	450	7079

Essex County

Amesbury	1064	4650	489	6203
Andover	3924	11114	519	15557
BEVERLY	5233	12883	943	19059
Boxford	695	2878	45	3618
Danvers	3008	9225	427	12660
Essex	385	1349	40	1774
Georgetown	644	2545	77	3266
GLOUCESTER	4019	8310	1186	13515
Groveland	517	2212	42	2771
Hamilton	941	2999	115	4055
HAVERHILL	5028	14761	1040	20829
Ipswich	1280	5013	202	6495
LAURENCE	5589	10564	2205	18358
LYNN	10074	20063	2261	32398
Lynnfield	1893	4698	188	6779
Manchester	950	2291	126	3367
Marblehead	3534	8304	734	12572
Merrimac	519	1901	66	2486
Methuen	4712	12786	1248	18746
Middleton	502	2055	102	2659
Nahant	758	1596	111	2465
Newbury	648	2505	88	3241
NEWBURYPORT	2067	6029	510	8606
North Andover	2863	8541	338	11742
PEABODY	6234	15719	1251	23204
Rockport	1302	2687	176	4165
Rowley	437	1750	45	2232
SALEM	4864	11863	1099	17826
Salisbury	801	2227	184	3212
Saugus	3667	8537	696	12900
Swampscott	2268	5118	729	8115
Topsfield	681	2588	73	3342

Wentham	465	1531	57	2053
West Newbury	330	1574	24	1928
Totals	81896	212866	17436	312198

Franklin County

Ashfield	107	805	12	924
Barnardston	107	877	26	1010
Buckland	105	896	19	1020
Charlmont	58	522	14	594
Colman	72	725	18	815
Conway	119	739	14	872
Deerfield	497	2073	84	2654
Erving	94	615	16	725
Gail	128	596	16	740
Greenfield	1278	6489	536	8303
Hadley	22	132	3	157
Heath	42	296	8	346
Leverett	238	755	16	1009
Leyden	34	306	3	343
Monroe	21	53	7	81
Montague	825	2974	159	3958
New Salem	60	383	9	452
Northfield	226	1174	36	1436
Orange	428	2361	103	2892
Rowe	36	205	7	248
Shelburne	147	876	31	1054
Shutesbury	215	578	20	813
Sunderland	329	1145	59	1533
Warwick	51	290	11	352
Wendell	78	343	17	438
Whately	159	653	20	832
Totals	5476	26861	1264	33601

Hampden County

Agawam	3692	6852	1203	11747
Blandford	77	456	16	549
Brimfield	264	981	41	1286
Chester	108	411	14	533
CHICOPPE	7760	13668	1849	23277
East Longmeadow	1897	4556	434	6887
Granville	132	498	27	657
Hampden	671	1585	93	2349
Holland	224	656	32	912
HOLYOKE	4155	8349	3376	15880

Longmeadow	3080	5083	688	8851
Ludlow	1977	5345	620	7942
Monson	813	2315	172	3300
Montgomery	56	293	5	354
Palmer	1244	4001	348	5593
Russell	123	466	18	607
Southwick	860	2262	104	3226
SPRINGFIELD	14273	23782	9639	47694
Tolland	29	110	5	144
Wales	137	432	26	595
West Springfield	3498	7278	1131	11907
WESTFIELD	4155	10367	837	15359
Wilbraham	1733	4713	517	6963
Totals	50958	104459	21195	176612

Hampshire County

Amherst	3662	7801	860	12323
Belchertown	983	3166	164	4313
Chesterfield	62	404	13	479
Cummington	51	358	5	414
Easthampton	1971	5086	325	7382
Goshen	88	314	11	413
Granby	541	1770	189	2800
Hadley	514	2046	84	2644
Hatfield	421	1328	93	1842
Huntington	117	644	14	775
Middlefield	25	172	8	205
NORTHAMPTON	4436	9133	723	14292
Pelham	165	586	16	767
Plainfield	30	242	2	274
South Hadley	2522	5134	476	8132
Southampton	485	1690	60	2235
Ware	793	3365	189	4347
Westhampton	88	641	10	739
Williamshurg	222	1001	39	1262
Worthington	91	478	12	581
Totals	17267	45359	3293	65919

Middlesex County

Acton	1955	7503	271	9729
Arlington	7780	17538	1539	26857
Ashby	195	1082	18	1295
Ashland	1494	4392	186	6072
Ayer	467	1729	55	2251

QUESTION 3

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Bedford	1296	4796	392	6484
Belmont	4194	10097	911	15202
Billerica	4081	11363	494	15938
Boxborough	288	1376	37	1701
Burlington	2876	8174	819	11869
CAMBRIDGE	16639	22423	3518	42580
Carlsde	481	2029	38	2548
Chelmsford	3697	13025	409	17131
Concord	1560	7429	543	9532
Dracut	2401	8979	517	11897
Dunstable	174	964	14	1152
EVERETT	4235	9422	2362	16019
Frammingham	7727	20487	1330	29544
Groton	721	2987	67	3775
Holliston	1285	5837	173	7295
Hopkinton	748	3905	67	4720
Hudson	1411	6172	210	7793
Lexington	4017	12856	1094	17967
Lincoln	675	2442	97	3214
Littleton	652	3118	58	3828
LOWELL	8218	21365	2344	31927
MALDEN	6730	14300	2061	23091
MARLBOROUGH	3099	10882	365	14346
Maynard	1039	4076	137	5252
MEDFORD	8269	18472	2275	29016
MELROSE	4403	10300	1104	15807
Natick	4142	11518	966	16626
NEWTON	12623	27813	3383	43819
North Reading	1670	4752	166	6588
Pepperell	695	3590	60	4345
Reading	3257	9357	395	13009
Sherborn	548	2003	50	2601
Shirley	449	1609	47	2105
SOMERVILLE	11091	18302	2418	31811
Stonham	3304	7581	589	11474
Stow	423	2488	116	3027
Sudbury	1872	6459	390	8721
Tewksbury	3520	8650	267	12437
Townsend	966	2281	533	3780
Tyngsborough	833	2803	83	3719
Wakfield	3935	9075	530	13540
WALTHAM	6164	15144	2874	24182
Watertown	5389	10872	1458	17719
Wayland	1819	5351	264	7434
Westford	1611	6626	290	8527

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Weston	1732	4263	322	6317
Wilmington	2087	6152	545	8784
Winchester	3112	8466	712	12290
WOBURN	4059	12020	1501	17580
Totals	178108	456695	41464	676267

Nantucket County				
Nantucket	1934	1581	248	3763
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Norfolk County				
Avon	625	1885	127	2637
Bellingham	1802	4672	251	6725
Brantree	5395	12285	764	18444
Brookline	9344	16004	3022	28370
Canton	2624	7247	623	10494
Dedham	3172	9511	619	13302
Dover	693	2339	92	3124
Foxborough	1750	5656	167	7573
Franklin	2235	7116	439	9790
Holbrook	1467	4011	205	5683
Medfield	1485	4367	152	6004
Medway	884	3718	205	4807
Millis	886	3077	82	4045
Milton	3944	10732	771	15447
Needham	3985	12579	744	17308
Norfolk	831	3059	48	3938
Norwood	3716	10604	821	15141
Plainville	707	2244	143	3094
QUINCY	12529	26018	2540	41087
Randolph	4112	9682	809	14603
Sharon	2437	6160	277	8874
Stoughton	3046	12501	694	15191
Wellesley	2428	7808	370	10606
Wellesley	4106	9970	711	14787
Westwood	1617	6042	315	7974
Weymouth	8176	18147	1126	27449
Wrentham	947	2911	147	4005
Totals	84943	216605	16264	317812

Plymouth County

Abington	1542	4943	221	6706	Berlin	149	1045	28	1222
Bridgewater	1560	5937	314	7811	Blackstone	1050	2044	217	3311
BROCKTON	8123	2257	2075	32455	Bolton	244	1488	23	1488
Carver	1156	3530	125	4811	Boylston	249	1663	44	1956
Cohasset	1349	2871	200	4420	Brookfield	192	1084	43	1319
Dartmouth	1974	5640	276	7890	Charlton	711	2789	88	3588
East Bridgewater	602	3772	245	4679	Clinton	1180	4529	347	6056
Fall River	692	2446	143	3281	Douglas	360	1813	65	2238
Hanson	1628	4580	177	6385	Dorchester	768	2890	236	3894
Kingham	3628	8017	433	12078	East Brookfield	153	758	23	934
Marblehead	1657	3121	287	5065	Eastham	2752	10959	916	14627
Kingston	1113	3122	195	4430	Greenwich	1624	5586	524	7734
Lakeville	869	2616	96	3581	Greenwich	1039	4860	257	6156
Marion	669	1652	79	2400	Hampden	120	993	37	1150
Marshfield	3156	7733	374	11263	Hampden	488	2392	47	2927
Mattapoisett	10524	2249	132	3405	Hopkinton	1256	6444	352	8052
Middleborough	1552	5459	224	7235	Hubbardston	670	2129	102	2901
Norwell	1380	3641	267	5288	Lancaster	189	970	18	1177
Pembroke	1608	5256	182	7046	Leicester	533	2212	78	2823
Plymouth	4985	13466	1148	19599	LEOMINSTER	815	3661	151	4627
Plympton	259	950	25	1234	Lenox	2782	12034	834	15650
Rochester	455	1358	43	1856	Lenox	552	3864	123	4539
Rockland	1877	5056	305	7238	Menotomy	320	1572	46	1938
Scituate	2857	6742	371	9970	Millbury	2500	8006	710	12116
Wareham	2351	5309	398	8058	Millville	1077	4382	248	5707
West Bridgewater	578	2956	74	3608	New Braintree	280	651	54	985
Whitman	1255	4650	225	6130	North Brookfield	34	383	14	431
Totals	50838	142456	8813	202107	Northborough	259	1871	74	2204
					Northbridge	1064	4746	175	5085
					Oakham	881	4682	428	5901
					Oxford	87	665	13	765
					Paxton	844	3902	311	5057
					Petersham	431	1754	46	2231
					Phillipston	93	557	19	669
					Princeton	88	472	18	578
					Royalston	213	1527	35	1775
					Rutland	74	379	8	461
					Shrewsbury	284	1785	91	2160
					Southborough	2650	9357	529	12536
					Southbridge	714	3025	78	3817
					Spencer	1583	4353	839	6775
					Sterling	881	3973	187	5041
					Sturbridge	523	2858	62	3443
					Sutton	809	2628	181	3618
					Templeton	460	2594	96	3150
					Upton	457	2200	90	2747
						337	2041	61	2439

Suffolk County

BOSTON	57510	103190	31717	192417
CHELSEA	3142	4834	1273	9249
REVERE	6624	10533	1752	18909
WINTHROP	3038	5740	940	9718
Totals	70314	124297	35682	230293

Worcester County

Ashburnham	389	1828	76	2293
Athol	781	3350	226	4357
Auburn	1712	5769	573	8054
Barre	308	1936	82	2326