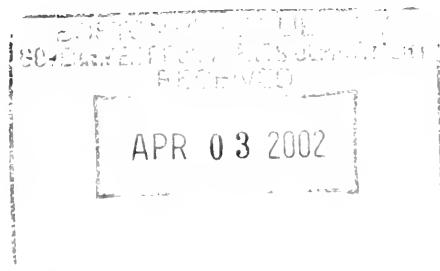


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# *Massachusetts Elections Statistics*

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**QUESTION 1****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 - 8?**

**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.

	Total Ballots	Yea Yes	No No	Blanks Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Aggregate of Votes</b>					
Barnstable . . . . .	16040	80564	5759	102363	9115
Berkshire . . . . .	8403	49820	5731	63954	549
Bristol . . . . .	26365	15453	17450	198170	783
Dukes . . . . .	1753	4771	555	7079	439
Essex . . . . .	49633	245648	16917	312198	150
Franklin . . . . .	4820	27210	1571	33601	6451
Hampshire . . . . .	25253	132227	19132	176612	198
Hanover . . . . .	12799	49585	3535	639119	794
Middlesex . . . . .	122061	512098	41208	670267	1310
Nantucket . . . . .	944	2582	237	3763	1078
Norfolk . . . . .	52163	248476	17173	317812	62
Plymouth . . . . .	28328	165018	8761	20407	189
Suffolk . . . . .	40382	154758	34953	20293	1446
Worcester . . . . .	39864	237520	22107	299491	105
Totals . . . . .	429008	2065532	195089	2689629	453
<b>Berkshire County</b>					
Adams . . . . .					3855
Alford . . . . .					34
Becket . . . . .					62
Cheshire . . . . .					189
Clarksburg . . . . .					105
Dalton . . . . .					567
Egremont . . . . .					96
Florida . . . . .					55
Great Barrington . . . . .					310
Hancock . . . . .					503
Totals . . . . .					2427
<b>Barnstable County</b>					
Barnstable . . . . .	3385	16232	1050	20667	87
Bourne . . . . .	56113	3800	508	4784	138
Brewster . . . . .	978	749	235	4581	787
Chatham . . . . .	683	3710	188	8370	277
Dennis . . . . .	1154	6664	552	102	Lenox . . . . .
Eastham . . . . .	417	2323	102	2842	370
Falmouth . . . . .	2774	11438	920	15132	94
Totals . . . . .					2176
<b>Total</b>					
					102363



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Franklin County		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yea	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Ashfield .....	167	723	34	924	1010	2697	419	184	3300
Bernardston .....	94	852	64	1010	1020	305	43	6	3593
Buckland .....	158	832	30	906	910	4531	73	18	5593
Charlemont .....	67	506	21	594	594	516	73	18	607
Cotuit .....	90	682	43	815	815	2703	422	101	3226
Conway .....	164	677	31	872	872	319	90	5	47694
Deerfield .....	476	2100	78	2654	2654	483	9241	22	595
Erving .....	69	643	13	725	725	1699	2142	967	11907
Gill .....	110	614	16	740	740	12468	1205	749	15359
Greenfield .....	914	6805	584	8303	8303	5165	593	593	6963
Hawley .....	22	131	4	157	157	132227	3771	897	176612
Heath .....	46	274	26	346	346	3771	7655	897	12323
Leverett .....	286	691	32	1009	1009	343	747	219	4313
Leyden .....	31	293	19	343	343	343	343	36	479
Monroe .....	6	70	5	81	81	343	62	381	414
Montague .....	561	3211	186	3958	3958	343	70	333	7382
New Salem .....	68	375	9	452	452	343	973	6123	286
Northfield .....	162	1223	51	1436	1436	343	67	32	413
Orange .....	310	2474	108	2892	2892	343	248	32	2500
Rowe .....	32	210	6	248	248	343	248	25	248
Shelburne .....	133	869	52	1054	1054	2043	472	2074	2644
Shutesbury .....	243	546	24	813	813	1466	293	83	1842
Sunderland .....	370	1083	80	1533	1533	108	631	36	775
Warwick .....	41	306	5	352	352	10238	24	166	205
Wendell .....	73	346	19	438	438	3287	210	15	4292
Whately .....	127	674	31	832	832	767	253	25	767
Totals .....	4820	27210	1571	33601	33601	1171	53	7	274

Hampshire County		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yea	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Amherst .....	1020	11747	1020	11747	11747	271	271	64	2235
Bethel .....	441	16	549	16	549	452	1900	64	4347
Brimfield .....	169	1075	42	1286	1286	110	615	14	739
Chester .....	71	449	13	533	533	268	164	45	1262
CHICOPEE .....	3070	18810	1397	23277	23277	70	501	10	581
East Longmeadow .....	1048	5489	350	6887	6887	12799	49585	3535	65919
Graville .....	85	549	23	657	657	2349	89	214	322
Hampton .....	359	1901	89	2349	2349	439	439	7166	1517
Holland .....	133	755	24	912	912	19985	5355	109	26857
HOLYOKE .....	2085	10749	3046	15880	15880	164	164	22	1295
Longmeadow .....	2026	6126	699	8851	8851	1088	1088	10	6072
Lucidow .....	935	6277	730	7942	7942	1898	295	58	2251
Middlesex County									
Agawam .....	1531	9196	1020	11747	11747	2241	7166	322	9729
Blandford .....	92	441	16	549	549	1900	64	64	1517
Brimfield .....	169	1075	42	1286	1286	19985	5355	109	26857
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Graville .....	85	549	23	657	657	2349	89	214	322
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Chester .....	71	449	13	533	533	164	164	2	



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Plymouth County (Continued)		Total Balloons		Total Balloons		Yes		No		Total Balloons	
Yes	No	Blanks	Blanks	Blackstone .....	Bolton .....	Clinton .....	Bolyston .....	Brookfield .....	Charlton .....	Clinton .....	Blank .....
Carver .....	552	4140	119	4811	110	4420	173	4420	300	7890	4679
Cohasset .....	886	3361	6060	4242	242	4242	300	4242	104	1078	4679
Duxbury .....	1530	6060	4000	4679	110	3281	2795	4679	110	110	4679
East Bridgewater .....	437	4000	242	4679	110	3281	2795	4679	110	110	4679
Halifax .....	376	4000	242	4679	110	3281	2795	4679	110	110	4679
Hanover .....	851	5376	158	6385	181	4185	3458	181	181	12078	9333
Hanson .....	546	3458	181	6385	181	4185	3458	181	181	12078	9333
Hingham .....	2284	9333	461	12078	91	91	8938	308	11263	11263	11263
Hull .....	630	4181	254	5065	112	3405	2849	112	3405	112	3405
Kingston .....	708	3550	172	4430	172	3550	708	172	172	4430	172
Lakeville .....	470	3031	80	3581	71	2400	1915	71	71	2400	71
Marion .....	414	2107	8938	11263	11263	11263	2017	8938	11263	11263	11263
Marshfield .....	444	2849	112	3405	112	3405	2849	112	112	3405	112
Mattapoisett .....	864	6137	234	7235	191	1632	1632	191	191	1632	1632
Middleborough .....	796	4242	250	5288	183	7046	16006	1002	19599	1234	1234
Norwell .....	990	5873	183	7235	183	7046	16006	1002	19599	1234	1234
Pembroke .....	2591	16006	1002	19599	1032	37	1032	37	1234	1234	1234
Plymouth .....	165	1632	33	1836	191	1632	1632	191	191	1836	1836
Rochester .....	753	6144	341	7238	7787	9970	1837	346	9970	7787	7787
Rockland .....	1064	6649	345	8058	3172	82	1064	345	8058	3172	3172
Saugus .....	354	5176	257	6130	5176	257	5176	257	257	6130	5176
Scituate .....	697	5176	257	6130	8761	202107	165018	8761	8761	202107	8761
Totals.....	28328	165018	8761	202107	165018	202107	165018	8761	8761	202107	8761
<b>Suffolk County</b>											
BOSTON .....	36028	125282	31107	192417	1149	9249	1224	6876	1149	18909	18909
CHELSEA .....	2104	14992	884	9718	884	9718	2104	884	884	9718	9718
REVERE .....	1226	7608	884	9718	884	9718	1226	7608	884	9718	9718
Winthrop .....	177	1013	32	1222	32	1222	177	1013	32	1222	1222
Totals.....	40582	154758	34953	340293	154758	34953	154758	34953	34953	340293	340293
<b>Worcester County</b>											
Ashburnham .....	359	1870	64	2293	494	4357	427	585	8054	8054	8054
Athol .....	954	3436	494	4357	810	740	409	543	2885	2885	2885
Auburn .....	321	1910	95	2326	1013	105	177	32	1222	1222	1222
Berlin .....	177	1013	32	1222	32	1222	177	1013	32	1222	1222

## 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 wage 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	Yea	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable .....	47854	49028	5481	102365	9987	9659	1021	20667
Berkshire .....	25348	34001	4605	63954	3067	3550	482	7099
Bristol .....	64614	12208	12348	198170	2303	2260	221	4784
Dukes .....	2946	3499	634	7079	1985	184	4581	
Essex .....	132587	166112	13499	312198	3929	3892	549	8370
Franklin .....	12938	19198	1465	33601	1358	1405	79	2842
Hampton .....	509060	103503	14049	176612	6334	7887	911	15132
Hampshire .....	22536	40496	2887	65919	3019	2884	415	6318
Middlesex .....	286521	355717	34029	676267	1480	1936	136	3552
Nantucket .....	1385	2115	263	3763	2196	1688	275	4150
Norfolk .....	132305	172732	12775	317812	827	1124	160	2111
Plymouth .....	85187	110529	6391	202107	3831	3812	219	7852
Suffolk .....	63178	140876	26239	240293	516	491	52	1059
Worcester .....	1248865	1610305	12321	299491	781	815	78	1674
Totals .....	1063324	1479319	146986	2689629	5814	5640	709	12163
					47854	49028	5481	102365

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	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Berkshire County</b>				
Adams .....	1568	2896	195	4659
Afford .....	123	83	17	223
Becket .....	251	275	49	575
Cheshire .....	638	1006	41	1685
Clarkburg .....	270	576	32	878
Dalton .....	1396	1780	168	3344
Egremont .....	393	267	51	711
Florida .....	108	238	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
Pere .....	130	157	14	301
PITTSFIELD .....	7965	11969	2075	20099
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
Tyningham .....	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
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>25348</b>	<b>34001</b>	<b>4605</b>	<b>63954</b>
<b>Bristol County</b>				
Acushnet .....	1294	3096	182	4572
ATTLEBORO .....	5762	7803	889	14454
Berkley .....	569	1024	33	1626
Dartmouth .....	4171	6148	1498	18187
Dighton .....	966	1591	70	2627
Easton .....	4413	4873	127	9413
Fairhaven .....	2203	4376	867	7446

			Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>FALL RIVER</b>						
Freetown .....			139	20660	2910	29889
Mansfield .....			139	2145	60	3544
NEW BEDFORD .....			393	4018	145	7556
North Attleborough .....			9070	22224	2252	33546
Norton .....			4532	5264	429	10225
Raynham .....			2309	3234	160	5703
Rehoboth .....			1953	2585	111	4649
Seekonk .....			1474	2427	170	4071
Somerset .....			2270	3346	394	6010
Swansea .....			2876	6381	360	9617
TAUNTON .....			2177	4793	219	7189
Westport .....			5415	1162	310	16564
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>64614</b>	<b>121208</b>	<b>12348</b>	<b>198170</b>		
<b>Dukes County</b>						
Chilmark .....			241	230	36	507
Edgartown .....			751	846	136	1733
Gay Head .....			74	137	14	137
Gosnold .....			40	53	10	103
Oak Bluffs .....			657	904	166	1727
Tisbury .....			711	909	172	1792
West Tisbury .....			472	508	100	1080
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>2946</b>	<b>3499</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>7079</b>		
<b>Essex County</b>						
Amesbury .....			2471	3273	459	6203
Andover .....			8351	6738	468	15557
BEVERLY .....			8229	10099	731	19059
Boxford .....			229	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	10690	1693	18358
LYNN .....			10323	20447	1628	32398
Lynnfield .....			3921	7231	127	6779
Manchester .....			1816	1423	128	3367

Marblehead .....	6817	1,252	1,257	1,257	243	438
Merrimac .....	978	1,453	55	2,486	517	832
Methuen .....	7350	10,667	729	18,746	15	11747
Middleton .....	1235	1,343	81	2,659	1,465	3,3601
Nahant .....	1068	1,329	68	2,465	12938	19198
Newbury .....	1,565	1,591	85	3,241	171	24
NEWBURYPORT .....	3650	4,484	472	8,606	300	609
North Andover .....	5820	5,644	278	11,742	517	549
PEABODY .....	9434	12,970	800	23,204	276	533
Rockport .....	1923	2090	152	4,165	190	1286
Roxbury .....	1109	1067	56	2,326	201	37
SALISBURY .....	6765	10,224	837	17,826	7442	14915
Salem .....	1273	1,781	158	3,212	2778	3868
Salisbury .....	4732	7650	518	1,2900	307	241
Saugus .....	3876	3,600	639	8,115	332	18
Swampscott .....	1902	1,369	71	3,342	938	18
Topfield .....	1,234	748	71	2,053	1,344	657
Wentham .....	1064	827	37	19,28	519	657
West Newbury .....	1,32587	166112	1,499	312198	372	2,349
Totals .....					8895	912
Ashfield .....	386	502	924	1010	4572	15880
Bernardston .....	402	573	35	1020	4078	8851
Buckland .....	393	596	31	594	2574	365
Charlemont .....	254	318	22	815	1193	7942
Cotuit .....	340	440	35	872	1983	3,300
Conway .....	370	477	25	76	1195	1,22
Deerfield .....	1071	1,507	76	2,654	190	354
Erving .....	239	477	9	725	9	220
Gill .....	274	448	18	740	3464	5,593
Greenfield .....	3167	4,556	580	8,303	217	607
Hawley .....	68	83	6	157	374	45
Heath .....	127	200	19	346	1113	3,226
Leverett .....	347	631	31	1009	2068	47694
Leyden .....	1,36	197	10	343	12532	6496
Monroe .....	34	40	7	81	66	6
Montague .....	1423	2,378	157	3,958	72	144
New Salem .....	182	261	9	452	368	595
Northfield .....	617	761	58	1,436	4506	672
Orange .....	1145	1641	106	2,892	5584	9184
Rowe .....	126	115	7	248	3,268	5,30
Shelburne .....	457	549	48	1054	59060	14049
Shutesbury .....	268	517	28	813	105303	176612
Sunderland .....	478	1001	54	1,533	104	205
Warwick .....	163	170	19	352	93	14292
Totals .....					293	767
Amherst .....					462	775
Belchertown .....					245	7382
Chesterfield .....					182	413
Cummington .....					190	2500
Easthampton .....					186	144
Goshen .....					187	11
Granby .....					874	144
Hadley .....					948	15359
Hathfield .....					606	5,30
Huntington .....					1178	6963
Middlefield .....					1178	1842
NORTHAMPTON .....					104	205
Pelham .....					4339	6015
Totals .....					444	14292
					290	767

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Hampshire County (Continued)		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Plainfield .....	120	143	11	274	508	19287	21453	3079	43819
South Hadley .....	3059	4717	356	8132	12550	3264	3198	126	6588
Southampton .....	965	1234	36	2235	3666	2187	2078	80	4345
Ware .....	1395	2863	89	4347	3323	6488	6180	341	13009
Westhampton .....	303	421	15	739	1005	1592	941	68	2601
Williamsburg .....	417	817	28	1262	1934	Shirley .....	971	1091	43
Worthington .....	316	250	15	581	1061	SOMERVILLE .....	8831	21483	1497
Totals.....	22536	40496	2887	65919	1001	Stoneham .....	4780	6327	367
						Stow .....	1742	1238	47
						Sudbury .....	4901	3393	427
						Tewksbury .....	5711	6543	183
						Townsend .....	1776	1899	105
						Tyngsborough .....	1712	1965	42
						Wakefield .....	6022	7108	410
						WALTHAM .....	8986	12832	2364
						Watertown .....	6326	10068	1325
						Wayland .....	4199	2061	274
						Westford .....	4495	3767	265
						Weston .....	3839	2113	365
						Wilmington .....	3583	4771	430
						Winchester .....	6600	5114	576
						WOBURN .....	6851	9419	1310
						Totals .....	286521	355717	34029
						Nantucket County			676267
						Nantucket .....	1385	2115	263
						Totals .....	1385	2115	263
						Norfolk County			3763
						Avon .....	890	1691	56
						Bellingham .....	2698	2617	2637
						Brantree .....	7220	10769	455
						Brookline .....	11767	13609	2094
						Canton .....	4412	5540	542
						Dedham .....	5171	7688	443
						Dover .....	1999	1028	97
						Foxborough .....	3187	4245	141
						Franklin .....	4068	5370	352
						Holbrook .....	2090	3396	188
						Medfield .....	3184	2702	118
						Melrose .....	818	15807	4807
						Natick .....	8209	16626	203

Mills .....	77	4045	Whitman .....	2436	3529	165	6130
Milton .....	2037	15447	Totals .....	85187	110529	6391	202107
Needham .....	8386	8189	BOSTON .....	51290	117588	23539	192417
Norfolk .....	8386	8184	CHELSEA .....	2589	5942	718	9249
Norwood .....	5978	5978	REVERE .....	5748	11921	1240	18909
Plainville .....	1351	1602	Winthrop .....	3551	5425	742	9718
QUINCY .....	13667	13667	Totals .....	63178	140876	26239	230293
Randolph .....	5339	25802	Suffolk County				
Sharon .....	4317	8736	BOSTON .....				
Stoughton .....	4878	1618	CHELSEA .....				
Walpole .....	4777	7231	REVERE .....				
Wellesley .....	8164	5906	Winthrop .....				
Westwood .....	4099	330	Totals .....				
Weymouth .....	10007	16673	Worcester County				
Wrentham .....	1698	769	Ashburnham .....				
Totals .....	132305	2184	Athol .....	1049	1185	59	2293
		1.23	Auburn .....	1826	2349	182	4357
		4005	Barre .....	3205	4369	480	8054
			Berlin .....	903	1365	58	2326
			Blackstone .....	625	570	27	1222
			Boylston .....	1104	2027	180	3311
			Brockton .....	973	759	23	1755
			Brookfield .....	1029	904	23	1956
			Charlton .....	534	750	35	1319
			Clinton .....	1491	2015	82	3588
			Clinton .....	2199	3619	238	6056
			Douglas .....	979	1222	37	2238
			Dudley .....	1764	1955	175	3894
			East Brookfield .....	432	487	15	934
			FITCHBURG .....	6183	7631	813	14627
			GARDNER .....	3161	4205	368	7734
			Grafton .....	2560	3435	161	6156
			Hartwick .....	426	703	21	1150
			Harvard .....	1932	919	76	2927
			Holden .....	4283	3425	344	8052
			Hopedale .....	1308	1485	108	2901
			Hubbardston .....	542	616	19	1177
			Lancaster .....	1324	1420	79	2823
			Leicester .....	1743	2784	100	4627
			LEOMINSTER .....	7059	7958	633	15650
			Lunenburg .....	3235	2056	158	4539
			Mendon .....	898	1004	36	1938
			Millford .....	4340	6387	489	11216
			Millbury .....	2115	3445	147	5707
			Millville .....	327	619	39	985
			New Braintree .....	177	239	15	431
			North Brookfield .....	988	1169	47	2204
			Northborough .....	3136	2651	198	5985
			West Bridgewater .....				

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	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Worcester County (Continued)</b>				
Northbridge .....	2546	3086	359	5991
Oakham .....	318	437	10	765
Oxford .....	1814	3007	236	5057
Paxton .....	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
Sturbridge .....	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.....	<b>126865</b>	<b>160305</b>	<b>12321</b>	<b>299491</b>

**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.

	Yes	No	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Total Ballots
<b>Aggregate Totals</b>						
Barnstable .....	31,277	63,883	72,03	10,236	11,80	21,88
Berkshire .....	17,029	41,106	58,19	6,395	11,59	27,52
Bristol .....	6,342	11,585	18,89	1,981	10,81	13,49
Dukes .....	3,789	7,079	10,45	1,285	5,343	7,224
Essen .....	8,189	21,286	17,436	3,121	98	3,610
Franklin .....	5,476	26,681	1264	3,360	1,52	4,874
Hampden .....	5,095	10,445	21,195	2,066	12	3,570
Hampshire .....	17,267	45,559	32,93	6,591	19	7,800
Middlesex .....	17,810	45,669	41,464	6,762	67	7,437
Nantucket .....	19,34	1581	248	3,763	11	4,000
Suffolk .....	84,943	216,605	162,64	31,781	12	34,444
Plymouth .....	508,38	142,556	88,13	20,210	7	21,237
Worcester .....	70,314	124,97	53,37	5,065	16	5,575
Totals .....	713,999	178,117	122,48	26,896	29	30,444
<b>Berkshire County</b>						
Adams .....	.....	.....	.....	11,41	3,281	14,650
Afford .....	.....	.....	.....	51	1,56	663
Becket .....	.....	.....	.....	145	3,85	1,218
Cheshire .....	.....	.....	.....	376	1,257	1,685
Clarksburg .....	.....	.....	.....	229	609	878
Dalton .....	.....	.....	.....	864	2,25	3,111
Egremont .....	.....	.....	.....	163	519	682
Florida .....	.....	.....	.....	84	282	349
Great Barrington .....	.....	.....	.....	869	2,062	2,931
Hancock .....	.....	.....	.....	65	245	317
Hinsdale .....	.....	.....	.....	233	518	807
Lanesborough .....	.....	.....	.....	294	925	1,375
Lee .....	.....	.....	.....	617	1,695	2,311
Lenox .....	.....	.....	.....	778	1,747	2,525
Monterey .....	.....	.....	.....	119	300	440
<b>Barnstable County</b>						
Barnstable .....	66,686	129,16	1065	20,667	1,206	21,88
Bourne .....	17,75	41,87	537	7,09	1,59	8,68
Brewster .....	1,502	30,68	214	4,784	1,45	6,245
Chatham .....	1,476	29,24	181	4,581	1,25	5,837
Dennis .....	2,111	54,86	573	8,370	1,695	10,066
Eastham .....	779	19,82	81	2,842	778	3,621
Falmouth .....	4,807	9,462	863	1,513	21	1,540

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	Berkshire County (Continued)	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Mt. Washington .....	16	49	4	69	300	191	16	507	507
New Ashford .....	31	88	4	123	685	470	108	1733	1733
New Marlborough .....	166	406	24	596	52	75	10	137	137
NCRTH ADAMS .....	1826	4168	505	6499	42	52	9	103	103
Otis .....	129	327	33	489	703	881	143	1727	1727
Penn .....	59	234	8	301	729	935	128	1792	1792
PITTSFIELD .....	6087	12902	3020	22009	329	715	36	1080	1080
Richmond .....	232	638	28	898	Totals .....	2840	3789	450	7079
Sandisfield .....	106	165	21	292	Dukes County				
Savoy .....	51	195	1	247	Chilmark .....	300	191	16	507
Sheffield .....	386	978	63	1427	Edgartown .....	685	470	108	1733
Stockbridge .....	505	850	80	1435	Gay Head .....	52	75	10	137
Tyngham .....	42	164	3	209	Gosnold .....	42	52	9	103
Washington .....	59	184	1	244	Great Bluff .....	703	881	143	1727
West Stockbridge .....	200	515	60	775	Tisbury .....	729	935	128	1792
Williamstown .....	1031	2681	227	3939	West Tisbury .....	329	715	36	1080
Windsor .....	75	326	2	403	Totals .....	2840	3789	450	7079
Totals .....	17029	41106	5819	63954	Essex County				
Bristol County					Amesbury .....	1064	4650	489	6203
Acushnet .....	1483	2741	348	4572	Andover .....	3924	1114	519	5157
ATTLEROBIO .....	4386	9086	982	14454	BEVERLY .....	5233	12883	943	19059
Berkley .....	423	1161	42	1626	Boxford .....	695	2878	45	3618
Danvers .....	3282	6831	1704	11817	Danvers .....	3008	9225	427	12660
Dighton .....	536	1902	189	2627	Essex .....	385	1349	40	1774
Easton .....	2063	7151	199	9413	Gloucester .....	644	2545	77	3266
Fairhaven .....	2200	4204	1042	7446	GROVELAND .....	4019	8310	1186	13515
FALL RIVER .....	10963	13954	4972	20889	HAMPTON .....	941	2212	42	2771
Freetown .....	1115	2331	98	3544	HAVERHILL .....	941	2990	115	4055
Mansfield .....	1817	5525	214	7556	Ipswich .....	5028	14761	1040	20829
NEW BEDFORD .....	13035	16558	3953	35346	LAWRENCE .....	1280	5013	202	6495
North Attleborough .....	2768	7005	452	10225	LYNN .....	5589	10564	2205	18358
Norton .....	1402	4096	205	5703	Methuen .....	10074	20663	2261	32398
Raynham .....	1144	3297	208	4649	Mymfield .....	1893	4698	188	6779
Rehoboth .....	1294	2585	192	4071	Manchester .....	950	2291	126	3367
Seekonk .....	2502	3082	426	6010	Marblehead .....	3534	8304	734	12576
Somers .....	3467	5439	711	9617	NEWBURYPORT .....	2067	6029	510	8606
Swansea .....	2610	3989	590	7189	North Andover .....	2863	8541	338	11746
TAUNTON .....	4744	11059	1761	17564	PEABODY .....	4712	12786	1248	23204
Westport .....	2193	3854	605	6652	Middleton .....	502	2055	102	2659
Totals .....	63427	115850	18893	198170	Nahant .....	758	1596	111	2465
					Newbury .....	648	2505	88	3241
					Rowley .....	437	1760	45	2232
					SALEM .....	3864	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	3080	688	8851
West Newbury .....	330	1574	24	1928	1977	5345	7942
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>81896</b>	<b>212866</b>	<b>17436</b>	<b>312198</b>	<b>5083</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>3300</b>
<b>Franklin County</b>							
Ashfield .....	107	805	12	924	1244	4001	172
Bernardston .....	107	877	26	1010	123	466	5543
Buckland .....	105	896	19	1020	860	2262	18
Charlemont .....	58	522	14	594	141	104	607
Colrain .....	72	725	18	815	23782	9639	3226
Conway .....	119	739	14	872	1273	10367	47694
Deerfield .....	497	2073	84	2654	1733	8377	11907
Erving .....	94	615	16	725	110	517	15359
Gill .....	128	596	16	740	110	517	6963
Greenfield .....	1278	6489	536	8303	137	432	595
Hawley .....	22	132	3	157	137	26	144
Heath .....	42	296	8	346	137	26	144
Leicester .....	238	755	16	1009	137	26	144
Leyden .....	34	306	3	343	137	26	144
Monroe .....	21	53	7	81	137	26	144
Montague .....	825	2974	159	3958	137	26	144
New Salem .....	60	383	9	452	137	26	144
Northfield .....	226	1174	36	1436	137	26	144
Orange .....	428	2361	103	2892	137	26	144
Rowe .....	36	205	7	248	137	26	144
Shelburne .....	147	876	31	1054	137	26	144
Shutesbury .....	215	578	20	813	137	26	144
Sunderland .....	329	1145	59	1533	137	26	144
Warwick .....	51	290	11	352	137	26	144
Wendell .....	78	343	17	438	137	26	144
Whately .....	159	653	20	832	137	26	144
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>5476</b>	<b>20861</b>	<b>1264</b>	<b>33601</b>	<b>13668</b>	<b>23277</b>	<b>17267</b>
<b>Hampden County</b>							
Agawam .....	3692	6852	1203	11747	434	6887	4559
Blandford .....	77	456	16	549	657	657	5293
Brimfield .....	264	981	41	1286	93	1286	1286
Chester .....	108	411	14	533	2349	1494	1955
CHICORIE	7760	13668	1849	11747	137	137	137
East Longmeadow .....	1897	4556	434	6887	137	137	137
Granville .....	132	498	27	657	137	137	137
Hampden .....	671	1585	93	2349	137	137	137
Holland .....	224	656	32	912	137	137	137
HOLYOKE .....	4155	8349	3376	15880	137	137	137
<b>Middlesex County</b>							
Acton .....	195	195	195	195	195	195	195
Arlington .....	195	195	195	195	195	195	195
Ashby .....	195	195	195	195	195	195	195
Ashland .....	195	195	195	195	195	195	195
Ayer .....	195	195	195	195	195	195	195
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>17267</b>	<b>4559</b>	<b>3293</b>	<b>65919</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>137</b>

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	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Bedford .....	1296	4796	392	6484	1732	4263	322	6317
Belmont .....	4194	10097	911	15202	2087	6152	545	8784
Billerica .....	11363	494	15938	.....	3112	8466	712	12290
Boxborough .....	288	1376	37	1701	4059	12020	1501	17580
Burlington .....	2876	8174	819	11869	Totals .....	178108	456695	41464
CAMBRIDGE .....	16639	22423	3518	42580	1934	1581	248	3763
Carlisle .....	481	2029	38	2548	Totals .....	1934	1581	248
Chelmsford .....	3697	13025	409	17131	Nantucket .....	.....	.....	.....
Concord .....	1560	7429	543	9532	Avon .....	.....	.....	.....
Drazen .....	2401	8979	517	11897	Bellingham .....	.....	.....	.....
Dunstable .....	174	964	14	1152	Brantree .....	.....	.....	.....
EVERETT .....	4235	9422	2362	16019	Brookline .....	.....	.....	.....
Framingham .....	7727	20487	1330	29544	Canton .....	.....	.....	.....
Groton .....	721	2987	67	3775	Dedham .....	.....	.....	.....
Holliston .....	1285	5837	173	7295	Dover .....	.....	.....	.....
Hopkinton .....	748	3905	67	4720	Foxborough .....	.....	.....	.....
Hudson .....	1411	6172	210	7793	Franklin .....	.....	.....	.....
Lexington .....	4017	12856	1094	17967	Holbrook .....	.....	.....	.....
Lincoln .....	675	2442	97	3214	Medfield .....	.....	.....	.....
Littleton .....	652	3118	58	3828	Medway .....	.....	.....	.....
LOWELL .....	8218	21365	2344	31927	Millis .....	.....	.....	.....
MALDEN .....	6730	14300	2061	23091	Milton .....	.....	.....	.....
MARLBOROUGH .....	3099	10882	365	14346	Needham .....	.....	.....	.....
Maynard .....	1039	4076	137	5252	Randolph .....	.....	.....	.....
MEDFORD .....	8269	18472	2275	29016	Sharon .....	.....	.....	.....
MELROSE .....	4403	10300	1104	15807	Norfolk .....	.....	.....	.....
Natick .....	4142	11518	966	16626	Plainville .....	.....	.....	.....
NEWTON .....	12623	27813	3383	43819	QUINCY .....	.....	.....	.....
North Reading .....	1670	4752	166	6588	Randolph .....	.....	.....	.....
Pepperell .....	695	3590	60	4345	Sharon .....	.....	.....	.....
Reading .....	3257	9357	395	13009	Stoughton .....	.....	.....	.....
Sherborn .....	548	2003	50	2601	Walpole .....	.....	.....	.....
Shirley .....	449	1619	47	2105	Wellesley .....	.....	.....	.....
TOWNSEND .....	11091	18302	2418	31811	Westwood .....	.....	.....	.....
Somerville .....	3304	7581	589	11474	Weymouth .....	.....	.....	.....
Tyngsborough .....	833	2803	83	3719	Wrentham .....	.....	.....	.....
Stow .....	423	2488	116	3027	Totals .....	.....	.....	.....
Sudbury .....	1872	6459	390	8721	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tewksbury .....	3520	8650	267	12437	.....	.....	.....	.....
Townsend .....	966	2281	533	3780	.....	.....	.....	.....
Watertown .....	3935	9075	530	13540	.....	.....	.....	.....
Watertown .....	6164	15144	2874	24182	.....	.....	.....	.....
Watertown .....	5389	10872	1458	17719	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wayland .....	1819	5351	264	7434	.....	.....	.....	.....
Westford .....	1611	6626	290	8527	.....	.....	.....	.....

<b>Plymouth County</b>			
Abington	4943	221	6706
Bridgewater	1560	5937	314
Brookton	8123	2257	2075
Carver	1156	3530	125
Cohasset	1349	2871	200
Duxbury	1974	5640	276
East Bridgewater	662	3772	235
Falifax	692	2446	143
Hanover	1628	4580	177
Hanson	879	3127	179
Hingham	3628	8017	433
Hull	1657	3121	287
Kingston	1113	3122	195
Lakeville	869	2616	96
Mattapan	669	1652	79
Marshfield	3156	7733	374
Mattapoisett	1024	2249	132
Middleborough	1552	5459	224
Norwell	1380	3641	267
Pembroke	1608	5256	182
Plymouth	4985	13466	1448
Plymouth	259	950	25
Rochester	455	1358	43
Rockland	1877	5056	305
Scontuit	2857	6742	371
Warcham	2351	5309	308
West Bridgewater	578	2956	74
Whitman	1255	4650	225
<b>Totals</b>	<b>50838</b>	<b>142456</b>	<b>8813</b>
<b>Suffolk County</b>			
BOSTON	57510	103190	31717
CHELSEA	3142	4834	1273
REVERE	6624	10533	1752
Winthrop	3038	5740	940
<b>Totals</b>	<b>70314</b>	<b>124297</b>	<b>35682</b>
<b>Worcester County</b>			
Ashburnham	389	1828	76
Athol	781	3350	226
Auburn	1712	5769	573
Barre	308	1936	82
Berlin	149	222	28
Blackstone	1045	2044	217
Bolton	1650	244	23
Boylston	249	1063	44
Brookfield	192	1084	43
Charlton	711	2789	88
Douglas	1180	4529	347
Dudley	360	1813	65
East Brookfield	768	2890	216
Fairfield	153	758	23
FITCHBURG	2752	10959	916
GARDNER	1624	5886	524
Gardiner	1039	4860	257
Gardner, N.H.	120	993	37
Harrowd	488	2392	47
Holden	1256	6444	352
Hopedale	670	2129	102
Hubbardston	189	970	18
Lancaster	533	2212	78
Leicester	815	3661	151
LEOMINSTER	2782	12034	834
Lunenburg	552	3864	123
Mendon	320	1572	46
Miford	2500	8006	710
Millbury	1077	4382	248
Millsville	280	651	54
New Braintree	34	383	14
North Brookfield	250	1871	74
Northborough	1064	4746	175
Northbridge	881	4682	428
Oakham	87	665	13
Oxford	844	3902	311
Paxton	431	1754	46
Petersham	93	557	19
Phillipston	88	472	18
Princeton	213	1527	35
Royalston	74	379	8
Rutland	284	1785	91
Shrewsbury	2650	9357	529
Southborough	714	3025	78
Southbridge	1583	4353	849
Spencer	881	3973	187
Sterling	523	2858	344
Sturbridge	809	2628	62
Sutton	460	2594	96
Templeton	457	2200	99
Upton	337	2041	61