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**REGISTER OF DEEDS**

	Democratic Primary				Republican Primary				State Election				
	Bernard F. Chartrand of Fitchburg	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Bernard F. Chartrand of Fitchburg Democrat	John B. McLaughlin of Leominster Independent	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Worcester													
Northern													
Ashburnham .....	73	2	18	91	—	2	48	50	1218	882	—	193	2293
FITCHBURG .....	1093	9	457	1552	—	—	234	234	8654	5101	—	872	14627
LEOMINSTER .....	3838	1	2203	6050	—	—	690	690	4733	9563	1	1353	15680
Lunenburg .....	286	1	120	407	—	2	132	134	2281	1922	—	336	4539
Westminster .....	83	1	22	106	—	3	47	50	1579	1195	—	303	3077
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>5373</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2820</b>	<b>8206</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1151</b>	<b>1158</b>	<b>18465</b>	<b>18663</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3057</b>	<b>40186</b>



MIDDLESEX COUNTY TREASURER (TO FILL VACANCY)

Middlesex County	Democratic Primary				Republican Primary				State Election			
	James E. Fahey, Jr. of Watertown	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	James E. Fahey, Jr. of Watertown Democrat	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Acton .....	775	-	638	1413	-	-	474	474	6241	1	3487	9729
Arlington .....	2894	-	1272	4166	-	1	764	765	18341	2	8514	26857
Ashby .....	28	-	13	41	-	1	30	31	861	-	434	1295
Ashland .....	408	-	234	642	-	1	111	111	4172	-	1900	6072
Ayer .....	87	-	27	114	-	37	37	37	1612	-	639	2251
Bedford .....	204	-	113	317	-	-	105	105	4191	1	2292	6484
Belmont .....	753	-	491	1244	-	-	283	283	9924	-	5278	15202
Billerica .....	850	-	393	1243	-	-	340	340	11328	-	4610	15938
Boxborough .....	54	-	27	81	-	-	57	57	1092	-	609	1701
Burlington .....	448	-	198	646	-	-	149	149	7960	-	3909	11869
CAMBRIDGE .....	5571	-	3622	9193	-	1	465	466	26972	7	15601	42580
Carlisle .....	160	-	126	286	-	-	128	128	1485	2	1061	2548
Chelmsford .....	446	-	193	639	-	-	442	442	11277	2	5852	17131
Concord .....	618	-	386	1004	-	-	423	423	5866	1	3665	9532
Dracut .....	399	-	196	595	-	-	145	145	8510	-	3387	11897
Dunstable .....	23	-	9	32	-	-	33	33	808	-	344	1152
EVERETT .....	3089	-	1947	5036	-	-	407	407	9213	-	6806	16019
Frammingham .....	3308	-	2065	5373	-	-	1842	1842	20417	-	9127	29544
Groton .....	91	-	44	135	-	-	94	94	2470	1	1304	3775
Holliston .....	459	-	334	793	-	1	232	233	4799	-	2496	7295
Hopkinton .....	204	-	79	283	-	-	109	109	3006	42	1672	4720
Hudson .....	226	-	50	276	-	-	92	92	5496	-	2297	7793
Lexington .....	888	-	555	1443	-	2	456	458	10037	1	7929	17967
Lincoln .....	179	-	191	370	-	-	98	98	1969	-	1245	3214
Littleton .....	99	-	41	140	-	-	58	58	2596	-	1232	3828
LOWELL .....	2380	-	1356	3736	-	-	402	402	21998	-	9929	31927
MALDEN .....	1868	-	1119	2987	-	-	384	384	14123	-	8968	23091
MARLBOROUGH .....	502	-	163	665	-	1	166	167	9900	-	4446	14346
Maynard .....	298	-	105	403	-	3	125	128	3575	3	1674	5252
MEDFORD .....	5821	-	3887	9708	-	1	941	942	16588	-	12428	29016
MELROSE .....	681	-	352	1033	-	-	388	388	9522	1	6284	15807
Natick .....	1498	-	1005	2503	-	-	391	391	10534	-	6092	16626
NEWTON .....	2799	-	1823	4622	-	-	842	842	25503	3	18313	43819
North Reading .....	236	-	126	362	-	-	139	139	4118	-	2470	6588
Pepperell .....	152	-	51	183	-	2	83	85	2905	1	1439	4345

Reading .....	416		226	642			300	300	8602	1	4406	13009
Sherborn .....	81		44	125			144	145	1480	3	1118	2601
Shirley .....	69		21	90		1	65	65	1433		662	2105
SOMERVILLE .....	6517	171	3191	9879		32	452	484	20978	409	10424	31811
Stoneham .....	1569		688	2257			283	283	7636		3838	11474
Stow .....	52		22	74			81	81	1892		1135	3027
Sudbury .....	270		130	400			274	274	5215	1	3505	8721
Tewksbury .....	605		189	794		2	140	142	9102	14	3321	12437
Townsend .....	75		22	97			111	111	2683		1097	3780
Tyngsborough .....	147		24	171			71	71	2608		1111	3719
Wakefield .....	649		309	958			448	448	9216		4324	13540
WALTHAM .....	4675		2972	7647			788	788	14820		9362	24182
Watertown .....	3627		1356	4983			355	355	13007		4712	17719
Wayland .....	159		85	244		19	223	242	4188	57	3189	7434
Westford .....	304	3	158	465		6	139	145	5435	64	3028	8527
Weston .....	128		116	244			145	146	3600	1	2716	6317
Wilmington .....	551		300	851			187	187	5440		3344	8784
Winchester .....	2667		1704	4371			679	679	7321	1	4968	12290
WOBURN .....	1412		649	2061		1	213	214	11116	1	6463	17580
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>62449</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>35437</b>	<b>98060</b>		<b>75</b>	<b>16333</b>	<b>16408</b>	<b>435191</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>240456</b>	<b>676267</b>

**ESSEX COUNTY COMMISSIONER (TO FILL VACANCY)**

Essex County	Democratic Primary					Republican Primary					State Election				
	Charles T. Arena of Lynn	Daniel Silva of Peabody	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Patricia Cahill of Beverly Write-in	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Charles T. Arena of Lynn Democrat	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast		
Amesbury	150	126	-	132	408	1	-	92	93	3966	-	2237	6203		
Andover	192	246	-	212	650	8	3	347	358	8727	-	6830	15557		
BEVERLY	264	397	-	145	806	84	30	236	350	11983	-	7074	19059		
Boxford	23	22	-	14	59	51	9	76	136	1433	-	1433	3618		
Danvers	146	210	-	54	410	26	6	243	275	8496	-	4164	12660		
Essex	17	22	-	5	44	12	3	61	76	10888	-	684	1774		
Georgetown	48	34	-	23	105	5	-	47	52	2024	-	1219	3266		
GLoucester	112	205	-	119	437	7	31	184	222	6579	-	6936	13515		
Groveland	50	60	-	16	126	11	4	65	80	1814	-	955	2771		
Hamilton	66	71	-	26	163	9	14	163	186	2293	-	1740	4055		
Haverhill	557	623	4	546	1730	32	9	493	534	12976	103	7750	20829		
Ipswich	70	85	-	22	177	20	5	175	200	4212	3	2280	6495		
LAWRENCE	979	1064	-	1001	3044	11	1	299	311	12602	-	5756	18358		
LYNN	2112	896	3	432	3443	45	2	501	548	23394	1	9003	32398		
Lynnfield	126	87	1	33	247	53	8	192	253	4235	10	2534	6779		
Manchester	51	23	-	17	91	18	18	126	162	1971	-	1396	3367		
Marblehead	257	143	-	148	548	182	8	284	474	7217	-	5355	12572		
Merrimac	32	49	-	9	91	5	2	62	69	1662	-	823	2486		
Methuen	530	589	1	491	1611	8	-	292	300	11063	1	7683	18746		
Middleton	36	49	20	45	150	4	84	270	358	1563	10	1086	2659		
Nahant	138	47	-	18	203	3	2	62	77	1668	-	797	2465		
Newbury	31	37	-	11	79	27	8	98	133	1944	-	1297	3241		
NEWBURYPORT	147	129	1	122	399	14	2	-	16	5242	-	3364	8606		
North Andover	260	211	-	139	610	13	-	150	163	7865	-	3877	11742		
PEABODY	1389	426	28	307	2150	51	44	249	344	15162	317	7725	23204		
Rockport	48	90	8	44	190	37	226	65	328	2597	16	1552	4165		
Rowley	21	25	-	10	56	13	60	60	73	1367	-	865	2232		
Salem	524	560	4	247	1335	56	3	269	328	12164	2	5660	17826		
Salisbury	53	65	-	34	152	-	-	42	42	2102	-	1110	3212		
Saugus	804	444	-	433	1681	3	-	256	259	8807	-	4093	12900		
Swampscott	275	117	-	101	493	10	6	340	356	5132	3	2980	8115		
Topsfield	30	48	-	24	102	113	4	97	214	1979	-	1363	3342		
Wenham	23	14	-	2	39	22	11	54	87	1245	-	808	2053		
West Newbury	18	18	-	12	48	3	2	50	55	1130	-	797	1928		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>9579</b>	<b>7232</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>4994</b>	<b>21877</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>6000</b>	<b>7512</b>	<b>198451</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>113226</b>	<b>312198</b>		



**QUESTION I**

**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.

Aggregate of Votes	Total Ballots	
	Yes	No
Barnstable	16040	80564
Berkshire	8403	49820
Bristol	26365	154355
Dukes	1753	4771
Essex	49633	245648
Franklin	4820	27210
Hampden	25253	132227
Hampshire	12799	49585
Middlesex	122061	512998
Nantucket	944	2582
Norfolk	52163	248476
Plymouth	28328	165018
Suffolk	40582	154758
Worcester	39864	237520
<b>Totals</b>	<b>429008</b>	<b>2065532</b>
<b>Barnstable County</b>		
Barnstable	3385	16232
Bourne	978	5613
Brewster	749	3800
Chatham	683	3710
Dennis	1154	6664
Eastham	417	2323
Falmouth	2774	11438
<b>Berkshire County</b>		
Adams	610	3855
Alford	34	178
Becket	62	463
Cheshire	189	1446
Clarksburg	105	740
Dalton	453	2666
Egremont	96	567
Florida	55	382
Great Barrington	503	2427
Hancock	39	268
Hinsdale	87	652
Lanesborough	138	787
Lee	277	2069
Lenox	370	2176
Monterey	94	320

Aggregate of Votes	Total Ballots	
	Yes	No
Harwich	915	4988
Mashpee	549	2809
Orleans	783	3108
Provincetown	439	1493
Sandwich	1150	6451
Truro	198	794
Wellfleet	275	1310
Yarmouth	1591	9831
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16040</b>	<b>80564</b>
<b>Berkshire County</b>		
Adams	610	3855
Alford	34	178
Becket	62	463
Cheshire	189	1446
Clarksburg	105	740
Dalton	453	2666
Egremont	96	567
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St. 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
Peru .....	34	354	13	301	West Tisbury .....	327	671	82	1080
PITTSFIELD .....	2304	17026	2679	22009	<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>1753</b>	<b>4771</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>7079</b>
Richmond .....	121	737	40	898	<b>Essex County</b>				
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	102	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 .....	540	2656	70	3266
Williamstown .....	877	2813	249	3939	GLOUCESTER .....	2275	10211	1029	13515
Windsor .....	54	342	7	403	Groveland .....	362	2362	47	2771
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>8403</b>	<b>49820</b>	<b>5731</b>	<b>63954</b>	Hamilton .....	772	3161	122	4055

**Bristol County**

Acushnet .....	510	3738	324	4572	HAVERTHILL .....	3234	16529	1066	20829
ATTLEBORO .....	1898	11626	930	14454	Ipswich .....	1328	4966	201	6495
Berkley .....	172	1392	62	1626	LAWRENCE .....	2499	13749	2110	18358
Dartmouth .....	1309	8970	1538	11817	LYNN .....	3973	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 .....	347	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	Roxley .....	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
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>26365</b>	<b>154355</b>	<b>17450</b>	<b>198170</b>	Swampscott .....	1461	5978	676	8115
<b>Dukes County</b>					Topsfield .....	633	2642	67	3342
Chilmark .....	158	317	32	507	Wenham .....	384	1592	77	2053
<b>Totals .....</b>					West Newbury .....	311	1581	36	1928
					<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>49633</b>	<b>245648</b>	<b>16917</b>	<b>312198</b>

**QUESTION 1**

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Franklin County</b>				
Ashfield .....	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
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>4820</b>	<b>27210</b>	<b>1571</b>	<b>33601</b>
<b>Hampden County</b>				
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
<b>Hampshire County</b>				
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	2800
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
Piampfield .....	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
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>12799</b>	<b>49585</b>	<b>3535</b>	<b>65919</b>
<b>Middlesex County</b>				
Acton .....	2241	7166	322	9729
Arlington .....	5355	19985	1517	26857
Ashby .....	164	1109	22	1295
Ashland .....	1088	4819	165	6072
Ayer .....	295	1898	58	2251

Bedford	1235	4854	395	6484	2358	9286	646	12990
Belmont	3407	10939	856	15202	1906	14256	1418	17580
Billerica	2011	13419	508	15938				
Boxborough	332	1330	39	1701				
Burlington	1619	9474	776	11869				
<b>CAMBRIDGE</b>	<b>13451</b>	<b>25293</b>	<b>3836</b>	<b>42580</b>				
Carlisle	569	1920	59	2548				
Chelmsford	2370	14296	465	17131				
Concord	2311	6627	594	9532				
Draut	1197	10127	573	11897				
Dunstable	168	963	21	1152				
EVERETT	1696	11953	2370	16019				
Frammingham	5268	22883	1393	29544				
Groton	725	2972	78	3775				
Holliston	1196	5890	209	7295				
Hopkinton	806	3759	95	4720				
Ipswich	1074	6504	215	7793				
Lexington	4283	12462	1222	17967				
Lincold	954	2121	139	3214				
Littleton	640	3074	114	3828				
LOWELL	4164	25426	2337	31927				
MALDEN	2799	18261	2031	23091				
MARKSBOROUGH	2039	11932	375	14846				
Maynard	808	4295	149	5252				
MEDFORD	4399	22491	2126	29016				
MELROSE	2367	12410	1030	15807				
Natick	2948	12769	909	16626				
NEWTON	11777	28890	3152	43819				
North Reading	889	5539	160	6588				
Pepperell	608	3655	82	4345				
Reading	1934	10642	433	13009				
Sherborn	555	1986	60	2601				
Shirley	276	1782	47	2105				
SOMERVILLE	7135	22234	2442	31811				
Stoncham	1487	9412	575	11474				
Stow	586	2389	52	3027				
Sudbury	1792	6510	419	8721				
Tewksbury	1450	10775	212	12437				
Townsend	483	3181	116	3780				
Tyngsborough	397	3241	81	3719				
Wakfield	1794	11162	584	13540				
WALTHAM	3541	18015	2826	24182				
Watertown	3318	12635	1536	17719				
Wayland	1745	5414	275	7434				
Westford	1360	6876	291	8527				
Weston	1694	4335	288	6317				
Wilmington	907	7362	515	8784				
Winchester	4884	16019	1152	17171				
WOBURN	14256	41208	1418	17580				
<b>Totals</b>	<b>122061</b>	<b>512998</b>	<b>41208</b>	<b>676267</b>	<b>2358</b>	<b>9286</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>12990</b>
<b>Nantucket County</b>								
Nantucket	944	2582	237	3763				
<b>Totals</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>2582</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>3763</b>				
<b>Norfolk County</b>								
Avon	337	2204	106	2637				
Bellingham	919	5529	277	6725				
Braintree	2358	15309	687	18444				
Brookline	7992	17293	3085	28370				
Canton	1659	7958	877	10494				
Dedham	1785	10576	941	13302				
Dover	644	2400	80	3124				
Foxborough	1179	6235	159	7573				
Franklin	1536	7790	464	9790				
Holbrook	691	4739	253	5683				
Medfield	1024	4837	143	6004				
Medway	708	3881	218	4807				
Mills	634	3330	81	4045				
Milton	2895	11895	657	15447				
Needham	2992	13604	712	17308				
Norfolk	657	3229	52	3038				
Norwood	2058	11801	1282	15141				
Plainville	387	2561	146	3094				
QUINCY	5614	32875	2598	41087				
Randolph	1889	11960	754	14603				
Sharon	1835	6753	286	8874				
Stoughton	1732	10129	640	12501				
Walpole	1586	8613	407	10606				
Wellesley	3780	10342	665	14787				
Westwood	6519	25719	310	7974				
Weymouth	3548	22770	1131	27449				
Wrentham	589	3254	162	4005				
<b>Totals</b>	<b>52163</b>	<b>248476</b>	<b>17173</b>	<b>317812</b>				
<b>Plymouth County</b>								
Abington	720	5702	284	6706				
Bridgewater	1013	6414	384	7811				
BROCKTON	4148	26065	2242	32455				

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**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
Hullfax .....	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
Marron .....	414	1915	71	2400
Marshfield .....	2017	8938	308	11263
Mattapoisett .....	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
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>28328</b>	<b>165018</b>	<b>8761</b>	<b>202107</b>

**Suffolk County**

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

**Worcester County**

Ashburnham .....	359	1870	64	2293
Andover .....	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
Hubbardsston .....	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
Millford .....	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 .....	103	1867	52	2231
Petersham .....	312	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	335	2553	92	3077
Winchendon	432	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 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.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Aggregate Totals</b>				
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
Hampden	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

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Barnstable County</b>				
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
Taunton	516	491	52	1059
Wellfleet	781	815	78	1674
Yarmouth	5814	5640	709	12163
Totals	47854	49028	5481	102363

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**Berkshire County**

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Adams	1568	2896	195	4659
Alford	123	83	17	223
Becket	275	49	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
<b>Totals</b>	<b>25348</b>	<b>34001</b>	<b>4605</b>	<b>63954</b>

**Bristol County**

Acushnet	1294	3096	182	4572
ATLEBORO	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
<b>FALL RIVER</b>	<b>6319</b>	<b>20660</b>	<b>2910</b>	<b>29889</b>
Freestown	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	16987	1162	17564
Westport	2109	4233	310	6652
<b>Totals</b>	<b>64614</b>	<b>121208</b>	<b>12348</b>	<b>198170</b>

**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
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2946</b>	<b>3499</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>7079</b>

**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
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
Ipwich	3097	3201	197	6495
LAWRENCE	5675	10990	1693	18358
LYNN	10323	20447	1628	32398
Lynnfield	3921	2731	127	6779
Manchester	1816	1423	128	3367

Wendell	171	243	24	438
Whately	300	517	15	832
<b>Totals</b>	<b>12938</b>	<b>19198</b>	<b>1465</b>	<b>33601</b>

**Hampden County**

Agawam	4205	6933	609	11747
Blandford	257	276	16	549
Brimfield	489	760	37	1286
Chester	201	317	15	533
CHICOPPE	7442	14915	920	23277
East Longmeadow	2778	3868	241	6887
Granville	307	332	18	657
Hampden	938	1344	67	2349
Holland	372	519	21	912
HOLYOKE	4572	8895	2413	15880
Longmeadow	4167	4078	606	8851
Ludlow	2574	5003	365	7942
Monson	1195	1983	122	3300
Montgomery	155	190	9	354
Palmer	1909	3464	220	5593
Russell	217	374	16	607
Southwick	1113	2068	45	3226
SPRINGFIELD	12532	28666	6496	47694
Tolland	66	72	6	144
Wales	213	368	14	595
West Springfield	4506	6729	672	11907
WESTFIELD	5584	9184	591	15359
Wilbraham	3268	3165	530	6963
<b>Totals</b>	<b>59060</b>	<b>103503</b>	<b>14049</b>	<b>176612</b>

**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

Marblehead	6817	5123	632	12572
Merrimac	978	1453	55	2486
Methuen	7350	10667	729	18746
Middleton	1235	1343	81	2659
Nahant	1068	1329	88	2465
Newbury	1565	1591	85	3241
NEWBURYPORT	3650	4484	472	8606
North Andover	5820	5644	278	11742
PEABODY	9434	12970	800	23204
Rockport	1923	2090	152	4165
Rowley	1109	1067	56	2232
SALFEM	6765	10224	837	17826
Salisbury	1273	1781	158	3212
Saugus	4732	7650	518	12900
Swampscott	3876	3600	639	8115
Topsfield	1902	1369	71	3342
Wenham	1234	748	71	2053
West Newbury	1064	827	37	1928
<b>Totals</b>	<b>132587</b>	<b>166112</b>	<b>13499</b>	<b>312198</b>

**Franklin County**

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
Health	127	200	19	346
Leverett	347	631	31	1009
Levyden	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
Rowe	126	115	7	248
Shelburne	457	549	48	1054
Shutesbury	268	517	28	813
Sunderland	478	1001	54	1533
Warwick	163	170	19	352

QUESTION 2

Hampshire County (Continued)

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Plainfield .....	120	143	11	274
South Hadley .....	3059	4717	356	8132
Southampton .....	965	1234	36	2335
Ware .....	1395	2863	89	4347
Westhampton .....	303	421	15	739
Williamsburg .....	417	817	28	1262
Worthington .....	316	250	15	581
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>22536</b>	<b>40496</b>	<b>2887</b>	<b>65919</b>

Middlesex County

Acton .....	5483	3880	366	9729
Arlington .....	10705	14926	1226	26857
Asbury .....	683	589	23	1295
Ashby .....	2918	2973	181	6072
Ashland .....	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
<b>CAMBRIDGE</b> .....	<b>13465</b>	<b>26001</b>	<b>3114</b>	<b>42580</b>
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
<b>MALDEN</b> .....	<b>14344</b>	<b>14344</b>	<b>1486</b>	<b>23091</b>
<b>MARLBOROUGH</b> .....	<b>6179</b>	<b>7856</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>14346</b>
Maynard .....	2436	2661	155	5252
<b>MEDFORD</b> .....	<b>9783</b>	<b>17930</b>	<b>1303</b>	<b>29016</b>
MELROSE .....	6466	8523	818	15807
Natick .....	7581	8209	836	16626

Total Ballots

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>NEWTON</b> .....	<b>19287</b>	<b>21453</b>	<b>3079</b>	<b>43819</b>
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
Wakfield .....	6022	7108	410	13540
<b>WALTHAM</b> .....	<b>8986</b>	<b>12832</b>	<b>2364</b>	<b>24182</b>
Watertown .....	6326	10068	1325	17719
Wayland .....	4199	2961	274	7434
Westford .....	4495	3767	265	8527
Weston .....	3839	2113	365	6317
Wilmington .....	3583	4771	430	8784
Winchester .....	6600	5114	576	12290
WOBURN .....	6851	9419	1310	17580
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>286521</b>	<b>355717</b>	<b>34029</b>	<b>676267</b>

Nantucket County

Nantucket .....	1385	2115	263	3763
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>1385</b>	<b>2115</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>3763</b>

Norfolk County

Avon .....	890	1691	56	2637
Bellingham .....	2698	3812	215	6725
Braintree .....	7220	10769	455	18444
Brookline .....	11767	13609	2994	28370
Canton .....	4412	5540	542	10494
Deerham .....	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



Whitman .....	2436	3529	165	6130
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>85187</b>	<b>110529</b>	<b>6391</b>	<b>202107</b>
<b>Suffolk County</b>				
BOSTON .....	51290	117588	23539	192417
CHELSEA .....	2589	5942	718	9249
REVERE .....	5748	11921	1240	18909
Wimthrop .....	3551	5425	742	9718
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>63178</b>	<b>140876</b>	<b>26239</b>	<b>230293</b>

<b>Worcester County</b>				
Ashburnham .....	1049	1185	59	2293
Athol .....	1826	2349	182	4357
Auburn .....	3205	4369	480	8054
Barre .....	903	1365	58	2326
Berlin .....	625	570	27	1222
Blackstone .....	1104	2027	180	3311
Bolton .....	973	759	23	1755
Boylston .....	1029	904	23	1956
Brookfield .....	534	750	35	1319
Charlton .....	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
Hardwick .....	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 .....	2325	2056	158	4539
Mendon .....	898	1004	36	1938
Millford .....	4340	6387	489	11216
Millbury .....	2115	3445	147	5707
Milville .....	327	619	39	985
New Braintree .....	177	239	15	431
North Brookfield .....	988	1169	47	2204
Northborough .....	3136	2651	198	5985

Millis .....	77	4045	40	4522
Milton .....	401	15447	8189	17337
Needham .....	758	17308	8164	25930
Norfolk .....	44	3938	1857	5829
Norwood .....	615	15141	8548	23904
Plainville .....	141	3094	1602	4797
QUINCY .....	1618	41087	13667	54862
Randolph .....	5238	14603	8736	23947
Sharon .....	307	8874	4350	12071
Stoughton .....	392	12501	7231	19124
Walpole .....	330	10606	5499	16435
Wellesley .....	717	14787	5906	17400
Westwood .....	251	7974	4099	11074
Weymouth .....	769	27449	10007	34925
Wrentham .....	123	4005	1698	5726
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>12775</b>	<b>317812</b>	<b>132305</b>	<b>472732</b>

<b>Plymouth County</b>				
Abington .....	198	6706	3920	10724
Bridgewater .....	244	7811	4419	12474
BROCKTON .....	1504	32455	19637	51114
Carver .....	78	4811	2825	7674
Cohasset .....	157	4420	1824	5991
Duxbury .....	287	7890	3268	11435
East Bridgewater .....	208	4679	2527	7414
Hullfax .....	75	3281	1910	5476
Hanover .....	83	6385	3498	9366
Hanson .....	274	4185	2330	6299
Hingham .....	358	12078	5513	17949
Hull .....	201	5065	3065	8331
Kingston .....	82	4430	2443	6755
Lakeville .....	55	3581	1847	5813
Marion .....	49	2400	1101	3900
Marshfield .....	194	11263	6184	18641
Mattapoisett .....	80	3405	1681	5086
Middleborough .....	152	7235	4178	11565
Norwell .....	210	5288	2292	7890
Pembroke .....	104	7046	4031	11181
Plymouth .....	916	19599	10478	31293
Plymouth .....	23	1234	578	1845
Rochester .....	23	1856	1083	3262
Rockland .....	207	7238	4418	12463
Scituate .....	208	9970	4921	15199
Wareham .....	201	8058	5014	13573
West Bridgewater .....	55	3608	1960	5528