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VACANCY — CLERK OF COURTS

Bristol County	Democratic Primary					Republican Primary					State Election				
	Marc J. Santos of Fairhaven	Thomas D. Lopes of Fall River	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Marc J. Santos of Fairhaven	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast		
Acushnet	1,471	643	6	231	2,351	—	36	291	327	2,961	49	1,289	4,299		
ATTLEBORO	1,738	1,007	—	878	3,623	—	2	2,006	2,006	8,334	1	4,364	12,699		
Berkley	240	160	—	77	477	—	2	272	274	1,049	2	625	1,676		
Dartmouth	3,123	1,514	—	826	5,463	—	2	1,360	1,362	6,569	5	4,260	10,834		
Dighton	375	228	—	184	787	—	—	335	335	1,507	—	961	2,468		
Easton	1,541	642	—	980	3,163	—	—	2,521	2,521	5,108	—	3,879	8,987		
Fairhaven	2,224	793	—	402	3,419	—	—	728	728	4,703	3	2,219	6,925		
FALL RIVER	6,551	7,396	—	3,368	17,315	—	10	1,527	1,527	18,048	4	9,720	27,768		
Freetown	679	416	—	160	1,255	—	—	412	422	2,201	—	1,102	3,307		
Mansfield	1,006	423	—	663	2,092	—	—	1,651	1,651	4,283	—	2,701	6,984		
NEW BEDFORD	11,574	6,070	—	1,893	19,537	—	—	2,435	2,435	21,932	38	8,583	30,553		
North Attleborough	951	517	—	496	1,964	—	—	1,809	1,809	5,771	1	3,166	8,937		
Norton	716	390	—	390	1,496	—	2	1,168	1,170	2,972	—	2,259	5,232		
Raynham	834	311	1	401	1,547	—	—	998	998	2,745	50	1,766	4,561		
Rehoboth	242	115	1	130	488	—	36	401	437	2,171	30	1,314	3,515		
Seekonk	459	251	—	209	919	—	—	545	545	3,818	—	1,396	5,214		
Somerset	2,090	1,798	—	576	4,464	—	13	862	875	6,165	—	2,711	8,876		
Swansea	1,132	775	7	453	2,367	—	41	418	459	4,474	105	2,045	6,624		
TAUNTON	3,694	1,669	—	2,114	7,477	—	—	2,117	2,117	10,555	—	6,515	17,070		
Westport	1,192	954	—	500	2,646	—	—	615	615	3,921	—	2,152	6,073		
TOTALS	41,832	26,072	15	14,931	82,850	—	142	22,471	22,613	119,287	288	63,027	182,602		

VACANCY — COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Bristol County

Democratic Primary

Republican Primary

State Election

	Richard Johnson of Taunton	Arthur R. Machado of Fall River	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Arthur R. Machado of Fall River Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Acushnet	1,002	958	12	379	2,351	—	35	292	327	2,712	196	1,391	4,299
ATTLEBORO	1,802	1,026	—	795	3,623	—	—	2,006	2,006	8,260	9	4,430	12,699
Berkley	278	164	—	35	477	—	3	271	274	1,004	15	657	1,676
Dartmouth	1,786	2,342	—	1,335	5,463	—	1	1,361	1,362	5,230	897	4,707	10,834
Dighton	324	342	—	121	787	—	2	333	335	1,174	19	1,275	2,468
Easton	1,595	688	—	880	3,163	—	—	2,521	2,521	4,999	19	3,969	8,987
Fairhaven	1,336	1,340	—	743	3,419	—	—	728	728	3,797	69	3,059	6,925
FALL RIVER	5,587	9,131	—	2,597	17,315	—	1	1,526	1,527	15,597	984	11,187	27,768
Freetown	625	472	—	158	1,255	—	6	416	422	2,013	120	1,174	3,307
Mansfield	1,061	392	—	639	2,092	—	—	1,651	1,651	4,092	16	2,876	6,984
NEW BEDFORD	7,542	8,268	—	3,727	19,537	—	35	2,400	2,435	19,829	913	9,811	30,553
North Attleborough	968	522	—	474	1,964	—	—	1,809	1,809	5,712	—	3,225	8,937
North	801	347	—	348	1,496	—	2	1,168	1,170	2,878	10	2,344	5,232
Raynham	811	546	—	190	1,547	—	2	996	998	2,682	80	1,799	4,561
Rehoboth	234	141	2	111	488	—	39	398	437	2,145	61	1,309	3,515
Seekonk	463	271	—	185	919	—	—	545	545	3,780	21	1,413	5,214
Somerset	1,777	2,218	—	469	4,464	—	4	871	875	5,049	1,109	2,718	8,876
Swansea	928	1,091	6	342	2,367	—	38	421	459	4,006	596	2,082	6,624
TAUNTON	3,761	2,912	—	804	7,477	—	—	2,117	2,117	10,107	17	6,946	17,070
Westport	911	1,267	—	468	2,646	—	—	615	615	3,456	285	2,362	6,073
TOTALS	33,592	34,438	20	14,800	82,850	—	168	21,830	22,613	108,522	5,346	68,734	182,602

**Franklin County
Franklin at Large**

	R. Marc Fournier of Montague	Charles F. McCarthy of Greenfield	Robert B. Rottenberg of Colrain	H. Waidlich of Montague Write-in	J. Davis of Leverett Write-in	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Ashfield	287	301	367	1	1	26	3,152	4,135
Bernardston	373	447	359	—	3	18	3,275	4,475
Buckland	263	317	387	—	2	11	3,230	4,210
Charlemont	155	181	227	—	—	16	1,936	2,515
Colrain	210	240	447	4	4	4	2,586	3,495
Conway	294	325	327	1	3	15	3,015	3,980
Deerfield	999	1,187	887	3	3	12	9,234	12,325
Erving	362	332	260	—	—	7	2,239	3,200
Gill	367	334	321	2	2	4	2,215	3,245
Greenfield	2,728	4,540	2,582	2	3	13	26,642	36,510
Hawley	48	60	66	—	—	5	426	605
Heath	99	107	166	2	—	4	1,102	1,480
Leverett	400	307	306	—	39	14	3,759	4,825
Leyden	111	146	145	1	2	12	1,233	1,650
Monroe	19	24	18	—	—	—	229	290
Montague	2,200	1,696	1,424	18	6	18	11,963	17,325
New Salem	180	183	157	—	—	10	1,555	2,085
Northfield	662	720	611	11	—	19	4,331	6,345
Orange	1,177	1,377	1,046	—	—	12	9,983	13,595
Rowe	65	91	93	—	—	6	675	930
Shelburne	327	392	491	—	—	24	3,231	4,465
Shutesbury	339	295	281	—	19	11	3,035	3,980
Sunderland	620	590	539	2	—	50	4,549	6,350
Warwick	128	158	133	—	1	6	1,279	1,705
Wendell	173	170	164	—	—	2	1,546	2,055
Whately	288	295	257	1	2	5	2,967	3,815
TOTALS	12,874	14,815	12,061	38	91	324	109,387	149,590

**Franklin County
First Franklin**

	Jacob B. Padgug of Greenfield	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Greenfield	1,511	1	652	2,164
TOTALS	1,511	1	652	2,164

COUNTY CHARTER COMMISSION

Franklin County Second Franklin	David R. Rouleston of Greenfield	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Greenfield	1,978	1	913	2,892
TOTALS	1,978	1	913	2,892

Franklin County Third Franklin	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Greenfield	1	5	2,241	2,246
TOTALS	1	5	2,241	2,246

Franklin County Fourth Franklin	James A. Ewen of Sunderland	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Leverett	477	9	479	965
New Salem	252	3	162	417
Shutesbury	402	10	384	796
Sunderland	809	19	442	1,270
TOTALS	1,940	41	1,467	3,448

Franklin County Fifth Franklin				
	J. David Young of Warwick	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Orange	1,778	1	940	2,719
Warwick	209	26	106	341
TOTALS	1,987	27	1,046	3,060

Franklin County Sixth Franklin				
	Hugh W. Campbell of Montague	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Erving	471	1	168	640
Gill	471	1	177	649
Montague	396	—	184	580
Northfield	865	5	399	1,269
Wendell	206	1	204	411
TOTALS	2,409	8	1,132	3,549

Franklin County Seventh Franklin				
	Richard A. Bingham of Montague	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Montague	1,963	—	922	2,885
TOTALS	1,963	—	922	2,885

COUNTY CHARTER COMMISSION

Franklin County Eighth Franklin	No Nomination	W. Shores of Belchettown Write-in	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Bernardston	—	11	7	877	895
Charlemont	—	—	11	492	503
Colrain	—	4	12	683	699
Hawley	—	—	5	116	121
Heath	—	1	8	287	296
Leyden	—	3	3	324	330
Monroe	—	—	—	58	58
Rowe	—	—	5	181	186
TOTALS	—	19	51	3,018	3,088

Franklin County Ninth Franklin	Samuel J. Finessey, Jr. of Deerfield	James G. Stacy of Shelburne	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Deerfield	1,497	269	1	698	2,465
Shelburne	65	654	3	171	893
TOTALS	1,562	923	4	869	3,358

Franklin County Tenth Franklin	No Nomination	P. Johnson of Ashfield Write-in	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Ashfield	—	30	—	797	797
Buckland	—	5	15	822	837
Conway	—	9	13	774	787
Whately	—	2	7	754	763
TOTALS	—	46	35	3,147	3,228

QUESTION 1

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and the Senate on December 17, 1987 by a vote of 180 to 6, and on June 11, 1990 by a vote of 186 to 6?

Aggregate of Votes	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable	73,191	15,360	5,232	93,783
Berkshire	38,278	10,087	5,402	53,767
Bristol	121,107	42,501	18,994	182,602
Dukes	3,878	1,394	722	5,994
Essex	210,564	54,237	20,958	285,759
Franklin	21,515	6,326	2,077	29,918
Hampden	102,096	33,580	16,731	152,407
Hampshire	42,026	11,499	3,709	57,234
Middlesex	457,279	109,303	47,566	614,148
Nantucket	2,018	620	178	2,816
Norfolk	220,519	55,973	20,123	296,615
Plymouth	135,605	35,696	11,827	183,128
Suffolk	112,792	46,396	35,133	194,321
Worcester	190,473	57,027	24,587	272,087
TOTALS	1,731,341	479,989	213,239	2,424,579
Barnstable County				
Barnstable	14,963	3,105	991	19,059
Bourne	4,982	1,145	527	6,654
Brewster	3,656	654	241	4,551
Chatham	3,241	643	193	4,077
Dennis	5,777	1,210	509	7,496
Eastham	2,199	363	72	2,634
Falmouth	10,395	2,487	848	13,730
Harwich	4,518	907	365	5,790
Mashpee	2,660	676	156	3,492
Orleans	2,979	528	169	3,676
Provincetown	1,204	384	103	1,691
Sandwich	6,034	1,162	276	7,472
Truro	772	143	36	951
Wellfleet	1,172	239	59	1,470
Yarmouth	8,639	1,714	687	11,040
TOTALS	73,191	15,360	5,232	93,783

SUMMARY

The proposed constitutional amendment would repeal the constitutional provision that a state census be taken and used as the basis for determining state representative, senatorial and councillor districts. The proposed constitutional amendment would provide that the federal census shall be the basis for determining such districts.

Bristol County (continued)	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Norton	3,996	989	247	5,232
Raynham	3,462	811	288	4,561
Rehoboth	2,560	761	194	3,515
Seekonk	3,814	1,116	284	5,214
Swansea	5,933	2,110	833	8,876
Ware	4,402	1,658	564	6,624
WESTON	10,980	3,755	2,335	17,070
Weymouth	4,078	1,450	545	6,073
TOTALS	121,107	42,501	18,994	182,602
Dukes County				
Chilmark	302	79	35	416
Edgartown	854	333	316	1,503
Gay Head	69	24	23	116
Gosnold	47	21	16	84
Oak Bluffs	966	364	133	1,463
Tisbury	991	359	125	1,475
West Tisbury	649	214	74	937
TOTALS	3,878	1,394	722	5,994
Essex County				
Amesbury	4,100	1,022	535	5,657
Andover	11,740	2,160	658	14,558
BEVERLY	13,293	3,138	1,076	17,507
Boxford	2,966	343	91	3,400
Danvers	9,494	1,821	548	11,863
Essex	1,302	261	61	1,624
Georgetown	2,468	463	123	3,054
GLOUCESTER	8,638	2,406	1,100	12,144
Groveland	2,081	458	113	2,652
Hamilton	3,059	506	138	3,703
HAVERRHILL	13,971	4,111	1,521	19,603

QUESTION 1

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Franklin County (continued)								
Sunderland	936	262	72	1,270	5,031	1,000	267	6,298
Warwick	240	83	18	341	3,200	635	140	3,975
Wendell	300	89	22	411	9,902	1,991	624	12,517
Whately	557	167	39	763	2,014	306	81	2,401
TOTALS	21,515	6,326	2,077	29,918	18,412	6,132	2,629	27,173
Hampden County								
Agawam	6,900	2,295	1,160	10,355	2,429	391	92	2,912
Blandford	394	108	16	518	6,751	850	332	7,933
Brimfield	962	281	52	1,295	9,346	2,360	346	12,052
Chester	362	105	18	485	2,563	646	239	3,448
CHICOPEE	13,854	4,631	1,390	19,875	2,683	643	174	3,500
East Longmeadow	4,458	1,176	339	5,973	10,024	2,251	660	12,935
Granville	434	105	27	566	14,747	3,779	2,786	21,312
Hampden	1,604	398	78	2,080	11,316	2,920	1,928	15,464
Holland	613	169	37	819	5,767	803	265	6,855
HOLYOKE	8,059	2,768	2,430	13,257	6,576	1,181	374	8,131
Longmeadow	5,900	1,243	447	7,590	4,663	702	277	5,642
Ludlow	4,787	1,475	561	6,823	6,041	1,466	729	8,236
Monson	1,998	745	268	3,011	8,765	1,632	687	11,084
Montgomery	252	75	16	343	11,716	3,047	1,622	16,385
Palmer	3,206	1,189	535	4,930	457,279	109,303	47,566	614,148
Russell	360	103	21	484				
Southwick	1,845	652	143	2,640				
SPRINGFIELD	23,628	9,651	6,927	40,206	2,018	620	178	2,816
Tolland	94	30	5	129	2,018	620	178	2,816
Wales	379	117	22	518				
West Springfield	7,082	2,238	898	10,218				
WESTFIELD	10,133	3,081	848	14,062				
Wilbraham	4,792	945	493	6,230				
TOTALS	102,096	33,580	16,731	152,407				
Hampshire County								
Amherst	7,101	1,733	810	9,644	1,623	640	189	2,452
Belchertown	3,032	760	280	4,072	4,370	1,338	441	6,149
Chesterfield	360	96	14	470	12,759	3,450	926	17,135
Cummington	289	69	13	371	17,131	3,952	3,065	24,148
Easthampton	4,691	1,424	337	6,452	7,470	1,774	729	9,973
Goshen	251	85	10	346	3,202	698	215	4,115
Granby	1,624	397	255	2,276	2,937	2,526	864	12,327
Hadley	1,683	556	157	2,396	8,937	2,526	864	12,327
					2,937	342	157	2,892
					5,613	1,215	308	7,136
					6,936	1,896	451	9,283
					3,897	1,142	324	5,303
					4,537	901	214	5,652
					3,499	823	195	4,517
Nantucket County								
Nantucket					2,018	620	178	2,816
TOTALS					2,018	620	178	2,816
Norfolk County								
Avon					1,623	640	189	2,452
Bellingham					4,370	1,338	441	6,149
Braintree					12,759	3,450	926	17,135
Brookline					17,131	3,952	3,065	24,148
Canton					7,470	1,774	729	9,973
Cohasset					3,202	698	215	4,115
Dedham					2,937	2,526	864	12,327
Dover					8,937	2,526	864	12,327
Foxborough					2,937	342	157	2,892
Franklin					5,613	1,215	308	7,136
Holbrook					6,936	1,896	451	9,283
Medfield					3,897	1,142	324	5,303
Medway					4,537	901	214	5,652
					3,499	823	195	4,517

Mills	2,880	663	139	3,682
Milton	10,400	2,720	1,236	14,356
Needham	12,687	2,432	804	15,923
Norfolk	3,028	675	116	3,819
Norwood	10,082	2,670	1,063	13,815
Plainville	2,062	566	171	2,799
QUINCY	26,140	8,338	2,938	37,416
Randolph	9,620	2,691	1,014	13,325
Sharon	6,543	1,443	428	8,414
Stoughton	8,529	2,192	842	11,563
Walpole	7,639	1,967	491	10,097
Wellesley	10,757	1,743	619	13,119
Westwood	5,811	1,240	493	7,544
Weymouth	19,090	5,243	1,483	25,816
Wrentham	2,944	693	208	3,845
TOTALS	220,519	55,973	20,123	296,615

Plymouth County

Abington	4,666	1,281	422	6,369
Bridgewater	5,403	7,407	475	13,285
BROCKTON	19,829	6,473	2,303	28,605
Carver	3,420	889	182	4,491
Duxbury	5,792	1,112	314	7,218
East Bridgewater	3,262	885	379	4,526
Halifax	2,226	647	146	3,019
Hanover	4,834	1,089	259	6,182
Hanson	3,079	819	188	4,086
Hingham	8,761	1,958	552	11,271
Hull	3,206	1,001	290	4,497
Kingston	2,890	797	379	4,066
Lakeville	2,741	698	114	3,553
Marion	1,693	398	86	2,177
Marshfield	7,929	1,642	925	10,496
Mattapoisett	2,466	575	134	3,175
Middleborough	5,057	1,390	283	6,730
Norwell	3,749	795	351	4,895
Pembroke	4,739	1,279	577	6,595
Plymouth	12,857	3,182	1,530	17,569
Plympton	942	209	37	1,188
Rochester	1,404	356	61	1,821
Rockland	5,116	1,519	377	7,012
Scituate	7,450	1,485	524	9,459
Wareham	5,103	1,714	516	7,333
West Bridgewater	2,593	656	139	3,388
Whitman	4,398	1,276	284	5,958
TOTALS	195,605	35,696	11,827	183,128

Hatfield	1,219	384	115	1,718
Huntington	497	171	27	695
Middlefield	128	32	8	168
NORTHAMPTON	9,046	2,513	852	12,411
Pelham	570	121	25	716
Plainfield	196	48	9	253
South Hadley	5,251	1,283	337	6,871
Southampton	1,519	439	73	2,031
Ware	2,672	988	286	3,926
Westhampton	533	122	20	675
Williamsburg	937	215	59	1,211
Worthington	427	83	22	532
TOTALS	42,026	11,499	3,709	57,234

Middlesex County

Acton	7,478	1,046	297	8,821
Arlington	18,592	4,125	1,631	24,348
Ashby	912	225	42	1,179
Ashland	4,331	1,062	240	5,573
Ayer	1,451	421	107	1,979
Bedford	4,782	783	408	5,973
Belmont	10,567	2,174	1,031	13,772
Billerica	11,651	2,898	718	15,197
Boxborough	1,329	198	40	1,567
Burlington	8,802	1,696	724	11,222
CAMBRIDGE	24,432	7,382	3,120	34,934
Carlisle	2,081	262	77	2,420
Chelmsford	12,970	2,270	633	15,873
Concord	7,014	1,010	533	8,557
Dracut	8,105	2,478	721	11,304
Dunstable	188	188	36	1,081
EVERETT	9,008	3,284	2,493	14,785
Frammingham	20,766	4,588	1,552	26,906
Groton	2,802	528	126	3,456
Holliston	5,593	959	237	6,789
Hopkinton	3,663	707	156	4,526
Hudson	5,530	1,413	430	7,373
Lexington	12,519	1,796	1,074	15,389
Lincoln	2,397	333	141	2,871
Littleton	2,760	609	141	3,510
LOWELL	19,805	6,900	2,556	29,261
MALDEN	13,863	4,899	2,499	21,261
MARLBOROUGH	9,793	2,744	741	13,218
Maynard	3,754	873	238	4,865
MELBRO	16,692	5,320	3,879	25,891
MELROSE	10,734	2,761	1,243	14,738
Natick	11,664	2,253	1,138	15,055
NEWTON	29,436	6,064	4,332	39,832

QUESTION 1

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Suffolk County								
BOSTON	91,176	38,033	30,690	159,899				
CHELSEA	4,674	1,959	1,273	7,906				
REVERE	11,108	4,563	2,114	17,785				
Winthrop	5,834	1,841	1,056	8,731				
TOTALS	112,792	46,396	35,133	194,321				
Worcester County								
Ashburnham	1,686	431	102	2,219				
Athol	2,599	940	353	3,892				
Auburn	5,350	1,532	467	7,349				
Barre	1,422	500	168	2,090				
Berlin	884	218	43	1,145				
Blackstone	1,839	794	326	2,959				
Bolton	1,397	248	48	1,693				
Boylston	1,462	311	81	1,854				
Brookfield	915	266	51	1,232				
Charlton	2,533	758	151	3,442				
Clinton	3,706	1,333	421	5,460				
Douglas	1,502	432	128	2,062				
Dudley	2,430	863	286	3,579				
East Brookfield	607	161	59	827				
FITCHBURG	9,022	2,995	1,164	13,181				
GARDNER	4,903	1,699	875	7,477				
Grafton	4,088	1,078	364	5,530				
Hardwick	753	279	69	1,101				
Harvard	2,312	310	92	2,714				
Holden	5,684	1,295	456	7,435				
Hopedale	2,056	507	160	2,723				
Hubbardston	1,005	275	61	1,341				
Lancaster	1,876	514	118	2,508				
Leicester	3,119	272	272	4,411				
LEOMINSTER	9,811	3,043	1,797	14,651				
Lunenburg	3,094	777	223	4,094				
Mendon	1,469	358	91	1,918				
Worcester County (continued)								
Milford	7,141	2,069	1,025	10,235				
Millbury	3,655	1,232	463	5,350				
Millville	652	240	52	944				
North Braintree	299	66	25	390				
North Brookfield	1,381	441	132	1,954				
Northborough	4,420	867	230	5,517				
Northbridge	3,800	1,057	472	5,329				
Oakham	642	142	30	714				
Oxford	3,106	998	533	4,637				
Paxton	1,654	322	81	2,057				
Petersham	498	107	38	643				
Phillipston	435	103	24	562				
Princeton	1,343	220	58	1,621				
Royalston	324	88	29	441				
Rutland	1,444	401	159	2,004				
Shrewsbury	8,425	2,326	723	11,474				
Southborough	2,805	568	140	3,513				
Southbridge	4,100	1,199	812	6,111				
Spencer	3,066	1,018	271	4,355				
Sterling	2,464	512	128	3,104				
Sturbridge	2,438	469	306	3,213				
Sutton	2,036	779	174	2,989				
Templeton	1,773	700	132	2,605				
Upton	1,795	401	128	2,324				
Uxbridge	2,963	898	272	4,133				
Warren	1,092	424	119	1,635				
Webster	3,609	1,297	579	5,485				
West Boylston	2,438	580	123	3,141				
West Brookfield	1,089	275	86	1,450				
Westborough	5,068	1,095	294	6,457				
Westminster	2,163	590	132	2,885				
Winchendon	1,919	666	188	2,773				
WORCESTER	33,012	11,940	8,203	53,155				
TOTALS	190,473	57,027	24,587	272,087				

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or House of Representatives before May 2, 1990?

SUMMARY

The proposed law would place restrictions on the State's use of consultants. It would place various limits on the amount of profit, overhead charges and expenses that the State could pay consultants. It would limit the duration of consultant contracts to two years and any extension to one year, and it would limit the degree to which such contracts could be changed to require payments in excess of the original contract. The proposed law would limit to \$100,000 the amount the State could pay on a consultant contract with an individual and would require all other consultant contracts in excess of \$25,000 to be sought through competitive

bidding. It would prohibit consultants from supervising State employees, and it would limit the use of consultants as substitutes for State employee positions.

In addition, the proposed law would place limits on the total amount of money State agencies, departments and Authorities could spend on consultants each year. Subsidiary provisions would also establish a method for these entities to gradually come into compliance with the new spending limits and would give authority to the State Secretary of Administration and Finance, on request, to permit some spending in excess of the new limits. The proposed law would also require State agencies, departments and Authorities as well as the Secretary of Administration and Finance to submit yearly reports concerning the State's consultant contracts to certain legislative committees and to the Inspector General.

Finally, the proposed law provides that any of its provisions, if found by a court to be unconstitutional or otherwise unlawful, would be severed from the law and the remaining provisions would continue in effect.

Aggregate of Votes	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable	42,887	46,940	3,956	93,783
Berkshire	23,786	25,414	4,567	53,767
Bristol	84,022	85,830	12,750	182,602
Dukes	2,059	3,442	493	5,994
Essex	130,487	140,346	14,826	285,759
Franklin	10,773	17,877	1,268	29,918
Hampden	67,557	74,098	10,752	152,407
Hampshire	21,631	33,554	2,049	57,234
Middlesex	251,906	330,968	31,274	614,148
Nantucket	1,294	1,403	119	2,816
Norfolk	128,601	155,413	12,601	296,615
Plymouth	90,510	85,322	7,296	183,128
Suffolk	60,456	109,283	24,582	194,321
Worcester	122,205	136,849	13,083	272,087
TOTALS	1,038,174	1,246,739	139,666	2,424,579

Barnstable County	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable	8,741	9,538	780	19,059
Bourne	3,056	3,152	446	6,654
Brewster	2,127	2,235	189	4,551
Chatham	1,956	1,994	127	4,077
Dennis	3,321	3,768	407	7,496

Barnstable County (continued)	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Eastham	1,227	1,350	57	2,634
Falmouth	6,069	7,092	569	13,730
Harwich	2,698	2,787	305	5,790
Mashpee	1,666	1,729	97	3,492
Orleans	1,610	1,928	138	3,676
Provincetown	652	969	70	1,691
Sandwich	3,624	3,679	169	7,472
Truro	413	506	32	951
Wellfleet	712	718	40	1,470
Yarmouth	5,015	5,495	530	11,040
TOTALS	42,887	46,940	3,956	93,783

Berkshire County	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Adams	1,811	1,877	283	3,971
Alford	92	75	15	182
Becket	223	230	45	498
Cheshire	771	645	60	1,476
Clarksburg	340	397	34	771
Dalton	1,427	1,279	148	2,854
Egremont	257	248	27	532
Florida	149	150	16	315
Great Barrington	1,308	1,200	225	2,733

QUESTION 2

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Berkshire County (continued)				
Hancock	165	128	12	305
Hinsdale	319	278	28	625
Lanesborough	519	483	131	1,133
Lee	924	1,040	358	2,322
Lenox	972	1,095	203	2,270
Monterey	185	179	12	376
Mount Washington	29	26	4	59
New Ashford	55	47	3	105
New Marlborough	276	172	38	486
NORTH ADAMS	2,134	3,222	438	5,794
Otis	181	183	51	415
Peru	149	104	10	263
PITTSFIELD	7,947	8,439	1,933	18,319
Richmond	352	361	36	749
Sandisfield	139	85	22	246
Savoy	116	81	11	208
Sheffield	619	476	94	1,189
Stockbridge	411	567	65	1,043
Tyringham	79	86	15	180
Washington	123	102	10	235
West Stockbridge	319	291	41	651
Williamstown	1,199	1,721	191	3,111
Windsor	196	147	8	351
TOTALS	23,786	25,414	4,567	53,767
Bristol County				
Acushnet	2,095	1,959	245	4,299
ATTLEBORO	6,428	5,599	672	12,699
Berkley	1,008	613	55	1,676
Dartmouth	4,402	5,141	1,291	10,834
Dighton	1,295	1,042	131	2,468
Easton	4,687	4,097	203	8,987
Fairhaven	3,050	3,170	705	6,925
FALL RIVER	10,183	14,376	3,209	27,768
Freetown	1,777	1,460	70	3,307
Mansfield	3,383	3,401	200	6,984

Essex County (continued)

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Nahant	994	1,206	77	2,277
Newbury	1,556	1,450	82	3,088
NEWBURYPORT	3,564	3,885	401	7,850
North Andover	5,417	5,163	264	10,844
PEABODY	9,951	10,975	950	21,876
Rockport	1,753	1,866	159	3,778
Rowley	1,063	1,021	54	2,138
SALEM	6,650	8,619	842	16,111
Salisbury	1,551	1,284	165	3,000
Saugus	5,390	4,819	2,081	12,290
Swampscott	2,818	4,017	443	7,278
Topsheld	1,354	1,619	107	3,080
Wenham	787	995	49	1,831
West Newbury	844	926	55	1,825
TOTALS	130,487	140,346	14,926	285,759

Franklin County

Ashfield	257	538	32	827
Barnardston	379	485	31	895
Buckland	291	523	28	842
Charlmont	232	248	23	503
Colrain	291	363	25	699
Conway	250	525	21	796
Deerfield	907	1,502	56	2,465
Erving	281	337	22	640
Gill	236	395	18	649
Greenfield	2,365	4,411	526	7,302
Hawley	47	61	13	121
Heath	128	154	14	296
Leverett	231	715	19	965
Leyden	142	180	8	330
Montroe	18	37	3	58
Montague	1,153	2,200	112	3,465
New Salem	160	241	16	417
Northfield	527	692	50	1,269
Orange	1,219	1,416	84	2,719
Rowe	90	88	8	186

Shelburne	48	499	346	893
Shutesbury	13	594	189	796
Sunderland	53	821	396	1,270
Warwick	13	168	180	341
Wendell	17	239	155	411
Whately	15	425	323	763
TOTALS	1,268	17,877	10,773	29,918

Hampden County				
Agawam	819	4,803	4,733	10,355
Blandford	7	271	240	518
Brimfield	36	583	676	1,295
Chester	13	200	272	485
CHICOPEE	565	9,849	9,461	19,875
East Longmeadow	200	2,733	3,040	5,973
Granville	13	213	340	566
Hampden	51	925	1,104	2,080
Holland	26	378	415	819
HOLYOKE	1,954	6,383	4,720	13,257
Longmeadow	304	3,787	3,499	7,590
Ludlow	393	2,870	3,560	6,823
Monson	117	1,463	1,431	3,011
Montgomery	11	137	195	343
Palmer	236	2,471	2,223	4,930
Russell	11	238	235	484
Southwick	100	1,162	1,378	2,640
SPRINGFIELD	4,503	20,117	15,586	40,206
Tolland	8	49	72	129
Wales	12	224	282	518
West Springfield	586	5,090	4,542	10,218
WESTFIELD	301	7,028	6,633	14,062
Wilbraham	386	2,924	2,920	6,230
TOTALS	10,752	74,098	67,557	152,407

Hampshire County				
Amherst	605	7,082	1,957	9,644
Belchertown	170	2,125	1,777	4,072
Chesterfield	15	253	200	470
Cummington	9	223	139	371
Easthampton	162	3,242	3,048	6,452
Goshen	10	198	138	346
Granby	125	1,070	1,081	2,276
Hadley	65	1,320	1,011	2,396

NEW BEDFORD	12,241	2,139	16,173	30,553
North Attleborough	4,594	424	3,919	8,937
Norton	2,671	162	2,399	5,232
Raynham	2,534	184	1,843	4,561
Rehoboth	1,971	167	3,515	3,515
Seekonk	3,104	240	1,870	5,214
Somerset	4,075	508	4,293	8,876
Swansea	3,160	401	3,063	6,624
TAUNTON	8,525	1,336	7,209	17,070
Westport	2,839	408	2,826	6,073
TOTALS	84,022	12,750	85,890	182,602

Dukes County				
Chilmark	141	15	260	416
Edgartown	503	265	735	1,503
Gay Head	33	11	72	116
Gosnold	30	4	50	84
Oak Bluffs	515	71	877	1,463
Tisbury	535	85	855	1,475
West Tisbury	302	42	593	937
TOTALS	2,059	493	3,442	5,994

Essex County				
Amesbury	2,484	451	2,722	5,657
Andover	6,846	429	7,583	14,558
BEVERLY	7,851	689	8,967	17,507
Boxford	1,621	61	3,400	3,400
Danvers	5,599	392	5,872	11,863
Essex	802	40	1,624	1,624
Georgetown	1,515	84	3,054	3,054
GLOUCESTER	5,563	752	12,144	12,144
Groveland	1,354	78	2,652	2,652
Hamilton	1,722	87	3,703	3,703
HAVERTHILL	9,619	1,091	8,893	19,603
Ipswich	2,576	159	3,389	6,124
LAWRENCE	7,353	1,048	7,030	15,431
LYNN	12,978	1,905	14,157	29,038
Lynnfield	3,217	136	6,402	6,402
Manchester	1,260	96	1,620	2,976
Marblehead	4,006	382	6,551	10,939
Merrimac	1,151	74	1,042	2,267
Methuen	8,343	1,159	7,629	17,131
Middleton	1,237	84	1,099	2,420