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IN CITY COUNCIL

March 18, 1976

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 Yeas 11 Nays 0 Absent 9 Present 1
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**CITIES AND TOWNS—INDEMNIFICATION OF
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS****CHAPTER 753.**

An Act relative to the indemnification of municipal officers by cities and towns for certain claims, demands, suits or judgments brought or rendered against such officers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 100E of chapter 41 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the first paragraph, as amended by chapter 217 of the acts of 1971, and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph:

A city or town may, subject to appropriation, indemnify any municipal officer for expenses or damages incurred by him in the defense or settlement of a claim against him in an amount not to exceed one million dollars, which claim arose out of acts performed by such officer while acting within the scope of his official duties or employment; provided, that the defense or settlement of such claim shall have been made by the city solicitor or town counsel, or by an attorney legally employed for the purpose by a city or town, or by an attorney furnished by an insurer obligated under the terms of a policy of insurance to defend the city or town against such claim.

SECTION 2. Said section 100E of said chapter 41 is hereby further amended by adding the following paragraph:

The provisions of this section shall not apply to any city or town which has accepted section one hundred I.

SECTION 3. Said chapter 41 is hereby further amended by inserting after section 100H the following two sections:

Section 100L.

Any city which accepts this section according to its charter or any town which accepts this section in the manner provided by section one hundred J shall indemnify and save harmless municipal officers, elected or appointed, from personal financial loss and expense including reasonable legal fees and costs, if any, in an amount not to exceed one million dollars, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of any act or omission including a violation of the civil rights of any person under any federal law, if the official at the time of such act or omission was acting within the scope of his official duties or employment. No such municipal officer shall be indemnified under this section if he acted in a grossly negligent, wilful or malicious manner.

Section 100J.

If the question of accepting section one hundred I is to be submitted to a town meeting it shall be placed upon the warrant for said meeting in the following form:—To see if the town will vote to accept section 100I of chapter 41 of the General Laws which provides that the town shall indemnify and save harmless municipal officers, elected or appointed, from personal financial loss and expense including reasonable legal fees and costs, if any, in an amount not to exceed one million dollars, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of any act or omission including a violation of the civil rights of any person under any federal law, if the official at the time of such act or omission was acting within the scope of his official duties or employment.

Approved December 15, 1975.

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MASSACHUSETTS

Agenda #3 Acceptance of the provisions
of Section 100E of Chapter 41,
as amended by Chapter 753 of the
Acts of 1975.

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	YEA	NAY	ABSENT	PRESENT
Mrs. Ackermann				
Mr. Clem				
Mr. Clinton				
Mr. Danehy				
Mr. Duehay				
Mrs. Graham				
Mr. Russell				
Mr. Sullivan				
Mayor Vellucci				

Calendar Item #2 Order Adopted 8-0-07

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MASSACHUSETTS

In City Council April 5 1976

Quillor Sullivan motion to remove from the table - Carried

	YEA	NAY	ABSENT	PRESENT
Mrs. Ackermann	✓			
Mr. Clem	✓			
Mr. Clinton	✓			
Mr. Danehy	✓			
Mr. Duehay	✓			
Mrs. Graham				✓
Mr. Russell	✓			
Mr. Sullivan	✓			
Mayor Vellucci	✓			

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
JAMES L. SULLIVAN
City Manager

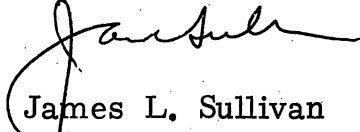
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To the Honorable, the City Council:

It is respectfully requested that the City Council accept the provisions of Section 100E of Chapter 41, as amended by Chapter 753 of the Acts of 1975, which relates to the indemnification of municipal officers by cities and towns for certain claims, demands, suits or judgments brought or rendered against such officers. Enclosed is a copy of this particular act.

Also enclosed is order providing for same.

Very truly yours,


James L. Sullivan
City Manager

JLS/b

Ord # 2 Agenda #3 F-96

Acceptance of the provisions of Section 100 E of Chapter 41, as amended by Chapter 753 of the Acts of 1975.

Ordinance #2 3/22/76

4/5/76

L. Sullivan received Ordinance of the order

Order Adopted on Resolution 8-0-0-1

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In City Council,
March 18, 1976

3/18/76

Chapter 753 of 1975 Not Adopted

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More Information
Re or from City Mgr.