



City of Cambridge

59.

IN CITY COUNCIL

October 20, 1997

COUNCILLOR DUEHAY
VICE MAYOR BORN
COUNCILLOR DAVIS
COUNCILLOR GALLUCCIO
COUNCILLOR REEVES
MAYOR RUSSELL
COUNCILLOR TRIANTAFILLOU

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WHEREAS: The Senate seems determined to enact this legislation; now therefore be it

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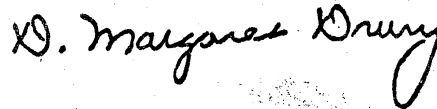
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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- D. Margaret Drury, City Clerk.

A true copy;



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City Clerk

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Consent Order #59 ^{Entire mem b except}
Sullivan + Rosney

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ORDER ADOPTED