



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

COUNCILLOR D. SULLIVAN

MARCH 24, 1986

- WHEREAS: Following the recent fire at the Prudential tower in Boston, considerable attention has focused on the question of fire safety in high-rise buildings; and
- WHEREAS: This City Council has previously accepted statutes requiring smoke detectors in all residential housing; and
- WHEREAS: Chapter 148, section 26G of the Massachusetts General Laws, an acceptance statute, allows the city to require automatic sprinkler systems in commercial buildings over 7,500 square feet in area, built after July 1, 1983; therefore, be it
- ORDERED: That the City Manager, after consulting the Fire Chief, report in writing his recommendation whether the City Council should accept section 26G or make other arrangements for fire safety in these buildings.

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of 9 members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

A true copy;

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joseph E. Connarton".

ATTEST:-

Joseph E. Connarton, Acting City Clerk.

C.D. Sullivan order re: City Manager, after consultation with the Fire Chief report in writing recommendations as to whether the Council should accept section 26G of Chapter 148 of the General Laws Re: requirement for automatic sprinkler systems in commercial buildings over 7,500 square feet in area, built after July 1, 1983.

In City Council,

March 24, 1986

C.D. Sullivan

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