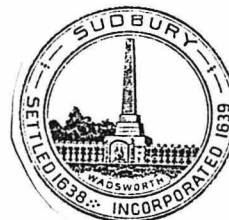


WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS



Middlesex, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Sudbury

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in the election to vote

at PETER NOYES SCHOOL, SUDBURY, MA

on TUESDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1988

from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the State Election for the election of candidates for the following offices:

- ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT . For the Commonwealth
- U.S. SENATOR.... . For the Commonwealth
- REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 5th Congressional District
- COUNCILLOR 3rd Councillor District
- SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT Middlesex & Worcester
Senatorial District
- REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. 13th Middlesex
Representative District
- CLERK OF COURTS. Middlesex County
- REGISTER OF DEEDS. Southern District
- COUNTY COMMISSIONER. Middlesex County
- COUNTY TREASURER (to fill vacancy) Middlesex County

BALLOT QUESTIONS

(See Page Two for full questions and summaries)

- #1 - INCREASED SALARIES FOR CERTAIN STATE OFFICIALS
- #2 - REPEALING THE PREVAILING WAGE LAW
- #3 - REGULATING TREATMENT OF FARM ANIMALS
- #4 - STOPPING ELECTRIC POWER PLANTS THAT PRODUCE NUCLEAR WASTE

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fourth day of October, 1988.

SELECTMEN OF SUDBURY

David A. Wallace
David A. Wallace, Chairman

John C. Drobiński
John C. Drobiński

Judith A. Cope
Judith A. Cope

QUESTION 1

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?

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

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.

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?

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

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.

QUESTION 3

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 2, 1988, by a vote of 2 - 150, and disapproved by the Senate on May 3, 1988, by a vote of 0 - 34?

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

SUMMARY

The proposed law would require the Commissioner of the Department of Food and Agriculture to issue regulations to ensure that farm animals are maintained in good health and that cruel or inhumane practices are not used in the raising, handling or transportation of farm animals.

The Commissioner would issue regulations, effective within four years after passage of the proposed law, about the surgical procedures used on farm animals, the transportation and slaughter of farm animals, and the diet and housing of those animals. The Director of the Division of Animal Health could issue exemption permits for a period of time up to one year and one half to any farmer.

Under the proposed measure, an unpaid Scientific Advisory Board on Farm Animal Welfare comprised of veterinarians and animal scientists would also be established within the Department of Food and Agriculture. The Board would examine animal agricultural practices, issue for publication certain reports on farm practices, and make non-binding recommendations to the Commissioner about specific regulations. If appropriated by the legislature, the Board may allocate an annual sum of not more than ten cents per Massachusetts citizen to assist farmers in adopting methods which are consistent with the purposes of this law.

The Director of the Division of Animal Health would be responsible for enforcing regulations issued as a result of this proposed law. Persons who violate the new law would be punished by a fine of up to \$1,000.

QUESTION 4

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, upon which no vote was taken by the House of Representatives or the Senate before May 4, 1988?

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>
NO	<input type="checkbox"/>

SUMMARY

The proposed law would provide that, after July 4, 1989, there shall be no further generation of electric power by commercial nuclear power plants in the Commonwealth by means which result in the production of nuclear waste.