

HOUSE No. 208

By Mr. Brownsberger of Belmont, petition of William N. Brownsberger and others requiring gas companies to better repair streets that they trench. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

William N. Brownsberger	Pam Richardson
Willie Mae Allen	Martin J. Walsh
Sarah K. Peake	Allen J. McCarthy
Stephen Stat Smith	John V. Fernandes
Geraldo Alicea	Thomas P. Conroy
Stephen L. DiNatale	Steven J. D'Amico
Rosemary Sandlin	

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT REQUIRING GAS COMPANIES TO BETTER REPAIR STREETS THAT THEY TRENCH

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

1 Section 70 of Chapter 164 of the General Laws is amended by
2 striking out the words "It shall put all such streets, lanes and high-
3 ways in as good repair as they were in when opened" and replacing
4 them with the words "It shall put any areas of such streets, lanes and
5 highways that they have dug up or opened and any adjoining areas
6 that their activities crack or otherwise damage in as good condition
7 as when new".