

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1736**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand Nine**  
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An Act Relative to Bunker Hill Day..

*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 12 of Chapter 136 of the General Laws is amended by striking out the section in  
2 its entirety and inserting in place thereof the following:- Section 12. The public offices shall be  
3 closed on all legal holidays except March seventeenth, May twentieth, and June seventeenth;  
4 provided, however, in Suffolk county such offices shall be closed on March seventeenth or the  
5 day following when said day occurs on Sunday; and provided that public offices in Suffolk  
6 county and any other public offices entitled to paid leave through collective bargaining or  
7 contract shall be closed on the first Friday following the fourth Thursday in November in  
8 observance of the legal holiday recognized on June seventeenth, and that the provisions of this  
9 clause shall be reflected in any agreement made under Chapter 150E of the general laws.