

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1598**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*James M. Murphy*

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to fee reimbursement.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>James M. Murphy</i>	<i>4th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/19/2017</i>

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By Mr. Murphy of Weymouth, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1598) of James M. Murphy relative to tax appellate fee reimbursement. Revenue.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to fee reimbursement.

*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 1: Chapter 58A, Section 7, of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
2 official edition, is amended by inserting after the phrase ‘chapter 62C’ the following: "if said  
3 appellant is successful in their appeal, then the appellee shall cover all fees paid to the clerk as  
4 determined under Chapter 7, Section 3B."

5           SECTION 2: Chapter 58A, Section 10, of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
6 official edition is hereby amended by inserting after “\_\_\_” the following: “if the appellant  
7 identified under Chapter 58A, Section 7 is successful in their appeal, then the appellee identified  
8 under Chapter 58A, Section 7 shall cover any costs assessed to the appellant under this section.”