

SENATE No. 2693

Senate, December 20, 2018 – Text of the Senate amendment (Senator Chang-Diaz) to the House Bill relative to the Massachusetts Port Authority community advisory committee (House, No. 4101).

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)

1 Section 36 of chapter 465 of the acts of 1956 is hereby amended by striking out
2 subsection (a), as most recently amended by section 50 of chapter 10 of the acts of 2015, and
3 inserting in place thereof the following subsection:-

4 (a) There shall be an advisory board to the authority which shall be named the
5 Massachusetts Port Authority Community Advisory Committee, which shall consist of: (i) 1
6 voting member from each of the following cities and towns, to be appointed by the chief
7 executive officer of each city or town: Arlington, Bedford, Belmont, Beverly, Braintree,
8 Brookline, Cambridge, Canton, Chelsea, Cohasset, Concord, Everett, Hingham, Hull, Lexington,
9 Lincoln, Lynn, Malden, Marblehead, Melrose, Medford, Milton, Nahant, Quincy, Randolph,
10 Revere, Salem, Scituate, Somerville, Swampscott, Watertown, Weymouth, Worcester and
11 Winthrop; and (ii) 7 voting members from the city of Boston, to be appointed by the mayor, 1 of
12 whom shall be from the East Boston section of the city of Boston, 1 of whom shall be from the
13 South Boston section of the city of Boston, and 1 of whom shall be from the South End section
14 of the City of Boston; provided, however, that appointed members shall be versed in not less
15 than 1 of the following disciplines: airport operations; environmental affairs, labor relations;

16 public health; or port operations. For purposes of this section, the term “chief executive officer”
17 shall mean the person designated as the chief executive officer under a local charter or laws
18 having the force of a charter, or, in the absence of a local charter or laws having the force of a
19 local charter, the mayor, in a city, or the chair of the select board or president of a town council,
20 in a town.