

SENATE No. 01730

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sonia Chang-Diaz

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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to transit-oriented development at the Arborway Yard.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Sonia Chang-Diaz

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Second Suffolk

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By Ms. Chang-Diaz, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1730) of Chang-Diaz for legislation relative to transit-oriented development at the Arborway Yard [Joint Committee on Transportation].

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to transit-oriented development at the Arborway Yard.

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

1 Notwithstanding the provision of any general or special law to the contrary, the
2 Massachusetts Bay Transit Authority (MBTA) is hereby authorized to acquire land, develop,
3 construct and maintain a permanent transit storage and repair facility to be sited at the Arborway
4 Yard located at the intersection of Washington Street and the Arborway in the city of Boston.
5 The MBTA shall coordinate with the Community Planning Committee for the Arborway Yard,
6 the Boston Redevelopment Authority and the city of Boston regarding the acquisition, design,
7 planning and construction of this site. All development of the site shall comport with state and
8 local standards of transit-oriented development.