

Chap.201 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF APPEAL IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Paragraph (b) of section 117 of chapter 479 of the acts of 1938 is hereby amended by striking out the third sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:— Each member of said board shall be paid twenty dollars for every day or part thereof of actual service, but no member shall be so paid more than fifteen hundred dollars in any one year.

SECTION 2. This act shall take full effect upon its acceptance by vote of the city council of the city of Boston, subject to the provisions of its charter, but not otherwise.

Approved April 20, 1949.

Chap.202 AN ACT RELATIVE TO DISCHARGING A CITY OR TOWN COLLECTOR FROM LIABILITY UPON HIS BOND FOR FAILURE TO COLLECT CERTAIN TAXES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 60, § 95, etc., amended.

Tax collectors in cities or towns discharged from liability for failure to collect under certain conditions.

Section 95 of chapter 60 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the last sentence, inserted by chapter 107 of the acts of 1943, and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:— A collector shall be discharged from liability upon his bond for failure to collect taxes committed to him for collection to the extent that the commissioner shall certify that such taxes are presently uncollectible because of judicial order or decree or because of the financial embarrassment of a public service corporation or because of similar reason and that such taxes are outstanding without fault of such collector; provided, that for the faithful performance of his duty to collect such taxes such collector shall forthwith give a separate bond in such form and sum as the commissioner may prescribe or approve.

Approved April 20, 1949.

Chap.203 AN ACT AUTHORIZING NEW ENGLAND CENTER HOSPITAL TO HOLD ADDITIONAL REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

New England Center Hospital, a charitable corporation organized under general law under the name Bingham Associates Fund of Massachusetts, and whose name was changed to its present one under general law, is hereby authorized to hold real and personal estate in the manner and for the purposes set forth in its charter to an amount not exceeding ten million dollars.

Approved April 20, 1949.