

**Chap. 257.** AN ACT PROVIDING TENURE OF OFFICE UNTIL AGE SEVENTY FOR WILLIAM E. STYGLES, INCUMBENT OF THE OFFICES OF VETERANS' AGENT AND DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES OF THE CITY OF WOBURN.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. William E. Stygles, incumbent of the offices of veterans' agent and director of veterans' services of the city of Woburn, shall hold said offices during good behavior until he reaches age seventy, unless incapacitated by physical or mental disability from performing the duties thereof, but he may be removed therefrom for cause after hearing in the manner provided by section forty-three of chapter thirty-one of the General Laws.

SECTION 2. This act shall be submitted for acceptance to the voters of the city of Woburn at the municipal election to be held in the current year in the form of the following question, which shall be placed upon the official ballot to be used at said election: — "Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-nine, entitled 'An Act providing tenure of office until age seventy for William E. Stygles, incumbent of the offices of veterans' agent and director of veterans' services of the city of Woburn', be accepted?" If a majority of the votes in answer to said question is in the affirmative, this act shall thereupon take full effect, but not otherwise.

*Approved May 6, 1969.*

**Chap. 258.** AN ACT PROVIDING THAT A CITY OR TOWN CLERK SHALL CERTIFY THE DOMICILE OF A VETERAN FOR PURPOSES OF THE VIETNAM BONUS ACT.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Section 6 of chapter 646 of the acts of 1968 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 3, the words "an assessor" and inserting in place thereof the words: — the clerk, — and by striking out, in line 8, the word "assessors" and inserting in place thereof the word: — clerks.

*Approved May 6, 1969.*

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, STATE HOUSE,  
BOSTON, May 6, 1969.

The Honorable JOHN F. X. DAVOREN, *Secretary of the Commonwealth, State House, Boston, Massachusetts.*

DEAR MR. SECRETARY: — I, Francis W. Sargent, pursuant to the provisions of Article XLVIII of the Amendments to the Constitution, the Referendum II, Emergency Measures, hereby declare in my opinion the immediate preservation of the public convenience requires that the law being Chapter 258 of the Acts of 1969, entitled "AN ACT PROVIDING THAT A CITY OR TOWN CLERK SHALL CERTIFY THE DOMICILE OF A VETERAN FOR PURPOSES OF THE VIETNAM BONUS ACT." and the enactment of which received my approval on May 6, 1969, should take effect forthwith.

I further declare that in my opinion said law is an emergency law and the facts constituting the emergency are as follows: —