

For the administration, maintenance of and for certain improvements at the institutions within the divisions:—

Item		
7660-8000	Item 7660-8000 of section two of chapter four hundred and fifty-two of the acts of the current year is hereby amended by striking out the word "fifty-one" and inserting in place thereof the word:— sixty-one	\$50,000

Unassigned Accounts.

Miscellaneous.

9990-0001	For the payment of certain annuities and pensions of soldiers and others under the provisions of certain acts and resolves	\$500
9990-0014	World War II Memorial — U.S.S. Massachusetts	4,820
9990-0042	For a certain payment, as authorized by chapter seventy-six of the resolves of the current year	1,041

DEFICIENCIES.

For deficiencies in certain appropriations for previous years, based upon schedules approved by joint committee on ways and means:

General Fund	\$56,419
Highway Fund	8,579

SECTION 2A. Section 1 of chapter 589 of the acts of 1968, as most recently amended by section 2A of chapter 452 of the acts of the current year, is hereby further amended by inserting after the first sentence the following sentence:— Said commission shall also construct a covered artificial ice skating rink and year-round swimming pool in the town of Weymouth from the proceeds of the bonds authorized by section three of said act.

SECTION 2B. Section one of chapter seven hundred and eighty-two of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-two, as amended by section seven of chapter 138 of the acts of 1969, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word "Quincy" the words:— and an enlarged culvert under Furnace Brook parkway near the armory of the commonwealth in Quincy, the cost of which project shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved August 26, 1969.

Chap. 812. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF NEWBURYPORT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR THE PAYMENT OF, AND TO PAY, CERTAIN UNPAID BILLS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The city of Newburyport is hereby authorized to appropriate and after such appropriation the treasurer of said city is authorized to pay to the Anna Jacques Hospital in said city the sum of thirteen thousand nine hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty-nine cents for services rendered during the years nineteen hundred and sixty-six, nineteen hundred and sixty-seven and nineteen hundred and sixty-eight and to the Beverly Hospital also of said city the sum of one thousand one hundred and sixty-five dollars and thirty cents for services rendered in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-seven, payment of which is legally unenforceable against said city.

SECTION 2. No bill shall be approved by the city auditor of said city for payment or paid by the treasurer thereof under authority of this act unless and until certificates have been signed and filed with said city auditor, stating under the penalties of perjury that the goods, materials or services for which bills have been submitted were ordered by an official or an employee of said city, and that such goods and materials were delivered and actually received in accordance with such orders.

SECTION 3. Any person who knowingly files a certificate required by section two, which is false, and who thereby receives payment for goods, materials or services which were not received by or rendered to said city, shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year or by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars, or both.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved August 26, 1969.

Chap. 813. AN ACT PROVIDING THAT NATIONAL GUARD TECHNICIANS IN THE FEDERAL SERVICE WHO ARE RETIRED WITH A PENSION FROM THE COMMONWEALTH SHALL BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE GROUP LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR STATE EMPLOYEES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Paragraph (b) of section 2 of chapter 32A of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence, as amended by section 1 of chapter 637 of the acts of 1965, and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:—"Employee", any person in the service of the commonwealth, which shall include a person employed by the National Guard as a technician, and who is not at the same time an employee of the United States, and a person who is an employee of a mosquito control project, the Massachusetts Parking Authority, a local housing authority or a redevelopment authority, whether such person be employed, appointed or elected by popular vote; provided the duties of such person requires that his time be devoted to the service of the commonwealth during the regular work week of permanent employees, except that persons elected by popular vote, other than those serving as members of mosquito control projects, local housing and redevelopment authorities, will be considered employees during the entire term for which they are elected regardless of the hours devoted to the service of the commonwealth.

SECTION 2. The second paragraph of section 10 of chapter 32A of the General Laws, as appearing in section 5 of chapter 840 of the acts of 1965, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:—Any National Guard technician in the service of the United States who is eligible and makes application for a pension or annuity allowance and whose application is approved by the state retirement board in accordance with the provisions of chapter thirty-two shall be entitled to be insured under this chapter as a retired employee without regard to waiting periods for benefits or medical qualification as if said retiree had been in the service of the commonwealth.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect as of January first, nineteen hundred and sixty-nine.

Approved August 26, 1969.