

# HOUSE . . . . No. 880

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By Mr. Cuffe of Lynn, petition of Albert Cole relative to the hours of duty, meal hours or days off of the uniformed fire fighting forces of the city of Lynn. Public Service.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-One.

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE HOURS OF DUTY, NUMBER, MEAL HOURS OR DAYS OFF OF THE UNIFORMED FIRE FIGHTING FORCE OF THE CITY OF LYNN.

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

1 SECTION 1. The hours of duty, number of perma-  
2 nent members, meal hours or days off of the uniformed  
3 fire fighting force of the city of Lynn shall be regulated  
4 by the city council of said city, subject to the pro-  
5 visions of its charter, but in no case shall said hours of  
6 duty exceed the number of hours of duty in force on  
7 the effective date of this act, except that in case of a  
8 conflagration the officer or board having charge of the  
9 fire fighting force shall have full authority to summon  
10 and keep on duty all members of the fire fighting force  
11 while the conflagration continues.

1 SECTION 2. So much of section fifty-nine of chapter  
2 forty-eight of the General Laws as is inconsistent with

3 this act shall not apply to the fire fighting force of said  
4 city.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its  
2 acceptance by vote of the city council of said city,  
3 subject to the provisions of its charter; provided,  
4 that such acceptance occurs on or before the thirty-  
5 first day of December in the current year.