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By Mr. Callery of Lowell, petition of Bartholomew J. Callery, Jr., and other members of the House (approved by the mayor and city council) that the city of Lowell be authorized to make temporary increases in the salaries and wages of certain officers and employees of said city. Municipal Finance (Joint).

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF LOWELL TO MAKE TEMPORARY INCREASES OF THE SALARIES AND WAGES OF CERTAIN OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF SAID CITY.

*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 city of Lowell may, notwithstand-  
2 ing any provision of chapter eighty-eight of the acts  
3 of nineteen hundred and forty-three to the contrary,  
4 but subject otherwise to the provisions of its charter,  
5 make temporary increases in the salaries and wages  
6 of officials and employees of said city; provided, that  
7 such temporary increases shall be effective only dur-  
8 ing the continuance of the existing state of war be-  
9 tween the United States of America and any foreign  
10 country; and, provided further, that an appropria-  
11 tion has been made to cover the same prior to the  
12 fixing of the tax rate.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its  
2 passage.

