

# SENATE . . . . No. 298

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To accompany the petition of Joseph F. Francis for legislation to provide that the Doorkeeper of each branch of the General Court shall have the title of Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms. Public Service.

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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 PROVIDING THAT THE DOORKEEPER OF EACH BRANCH OF THE GENERAL COURT SHALL HAVE THE TITLE OF ASSISTANT SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

*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 eighteen of chapter three of the General  
2 Laws, as amended by section one of chapter four hun-  
3 dred and thirty-three of the acts of nineteen hundred  
4 and forty-one, is hereby further amended by insert-  
5 ing after the word "branch" in the first line, the words:  
6 — each with the title of assistant sergeant-at-arms, —  
7 so as to read as follows: — *Section 18.* There shall  
8 be a doorkeeper for each branch, each with the title  
9 of assistant sergeant-at-arms, each at a salary of  
10 twenty-seven hundred and fifty dollars, and such  
11 assistant doorkeepers as it may direct, each at a salary  
12 of twenty-two hundred dollars; a porter in the lobby  
13 of the house of representatives at a salary of sixteen

14 hundred and fifty dollars; general court officers, each  
15 at a salary of two thousand dollars; pages whose  
16 compensation shall be seven hundred dollars each for  
17 the regular session and a sum not exceeding three  
18 dollars for each day's service after such session; a  
19 clerk to take charge of the legislative document room  
20 at a salary of twenty-seven hundred and fifty dollars,  
21 an assistant clerk of said room at a salary of twenty-  
22 one hundred dollars, and such assistants therein as  
23 may be necessary, for whose fitness and good conduct  
24 the sergeant-at-arms shall be responsible.