

SENATE No. 360

To accompany the petition of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, by William V. Ward, for legislation to revoke the power of the director of the Division of Employment Security to remove certain employees formerly transferred to such division. State Administration.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT REVOKING THE POWER OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY TO REMOVE CERTAIN EMPLOYEES FORMERLY TRANSFERRED TO SUCH DIVISION.

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 six of chapter twenty of the Acts and Re-
2 solves of Massachusetts of nineteen hundred and
3 thirty-nine is hereby amended as follows, by strik-
4 ing out all of the words appearing after the words
5 "regulating such appointment or employment", — so
6 that the section will read as follows: — The unem-
7 ployment compensation commission existing on the
8 effective date of this section is hereby abolished, and
9 all books and papers of said commission shall upon
10 said date be turned over to the director of the division
11 of unemployment compensation appointed as pro-

12 vided in section one of this act. The state advisory
13 council existing on said date is hereby abolished. All
14 unexpended balances of moneys heretofore appro-
15 priated for said unemployment compensation commis-
16 sion shall be immediately available for expenditure
17 by said division of unemployment compensation.
18 Persons lawfully employed and serving under said
19 unemployment compensation commission are hereby
20 transferred to serve under said director without im-
21 pairment of any rights to which they may be lawfully
22 entitled; provided, that nothing herein shall be con-
23 strued to validate or ratify the appointment or em-
24 ployment of any employee of said commission that
25 may not have been made in compliance with any law,
26 rule or regulation governing or regulating such appoint-
27 ment or employment.