

HOUSE No. 1237

By Mr. Connolly of Boston, petition of the Credit Union League of Massachusetts, Inc., and Norman F. Wellen that deductions from wages or salaries of employees of counties, districts and municipalities be authorized for the purpose of making payments to credit unions of such employees. Banks and Banking.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE DEDUCTIONS FROM THE WAGES OR SALARIES OF EMPLOYEES OF COUNTIES, DISTRICTS, AND MUNICIPALITIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING CERTAIN PAYMENTS TO CREDIT UNIONS OF SUCH EMPLOYEES.

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

1 Chapter one hundred and seventy-one of the
2 General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after
3 section six, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edi-
4 tion, the following section:—
5 *Section 6A.* Deductions on pay-roll schedules
6 from the salary of any county, district or municipal
7 employee in any amount which such employee may
8 specify in writing to the treasurer of the county,
9 district or municipality by which he is employed, for
10 the purchase of credit union shares of, or making
11 deposits in, or for the repayment of any loan from,

12 any credit union operated by the employees of any
13 such county, district or municipality may be made,
14 in the discretion of such treasurer and subject to
15 such rules and regulations as he may establish. Any
16 such authorization may be withdrawn by the employee
17 by giving such notice in writing of such withdrawal
18 as the rules and regulations require to the county,
19 district or municipal treasurer and by filing a copy
20 thereof with the treasurer of such credit union. The
21 treasurer of the county, district or municipality by
22 which such employee is employed shall deduct from
23 the salary of such employee such amounts as may be
24 certified on the pay roll, and transmit the sum so
25 deducted to the treasurer of such credit union for the
26 purpose specified by the employee; provided, that
27 the county, district or municipal treasurer is satisfied
28 by such evidence as he may require that the treasurer
29 of the credit union has given bond as required by
30 law for the faithful performance of his duties. Moneys
31 so deducted shall not be attached or taken upon
32 execution or other process while in the custody of the
33 treasurer of any county, district or municipality.