

HOUSE No. 1610

By Mr. O'Keefe of Peabody, petition of Frank G. Bigg and others that the hours of duty be regulated further of permanent members of the fire department of the city of Peabody. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE HOURS OF DUTY OF PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE CITY OF PEABODY.

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

1 Upon petition of ten per cent of the registered voters
2 of the city of Peabody, certified by the registrars of
3 voters and submitted to the city clerk prior to Septem-
4 ber first in the current year, the city clerk shall cause
5 to be placed on the official ballot to be used at the
6 municipal election in said city in the current year
7 the following question: — “Shall section fifty-eight B
8 of chapter forty-eight of the General Laws, providing
9 for a forty-eight hour week for permanent members of
10 fire departments, be accepted?” If a majority of the
11 votes cast on said question are in the affirmative this
12 act shall take effect in said city ninety days thereafter.

By Mr. O'Connell of Toronto, petition of James G. Barry and others that the date of the next session of the Toronto Board of Health be the first day of the month of January in the year 1871.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, you and all the other persons named in this petition, do hereby depose and say that the facts stated in the foregoing petition are true and correct.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Commonwealth at the City of Boston, this _____ day of _____, 1871.

- 1 That petitioners do hereby depose and say that the facts stated in
- 2 of the City of Boston, certified for the next session
- 3 of the City of Boston, prior to the next session
- 4 of the City of Boston, and that the facts stated in
- 5 to be placed on the official ballot to be voted at the
- 6 municipal election in said city in the next session
- 7 of the following question:— "Shall section five of chapter
- 8 of chapter forty-eight of the General Laws, providing
- 9 for a forty-eight-hour week for permanent members of
- 10 the department, be amended?" If a majority of the
- 11 votes cast on said question are in the affirmative this
- 12 act shall take effect in said city ninety days thereafter.