

# SENATE . . . . No. 192

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To accompany the petition of Milton L. Jordan and others, selectmen, and others that the town of Ware be authorized to take over the properties and assume the obligations of the Ware Fire District Number One. Towns.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF WARE TO TAKE OVER  
THE PROPERTIES AND ASSUME THE OBLIGATIONS OF THE  
WARE FIRE DISTRICT NUMBER ONE.

*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 town of Ware is hereby authorized  
2 to take over all the properties, rights, powers and  
3 privileges of the Ware fire district number one, and  
4 to assume all the duties and obligations of said district,  
5 and shall thereupon become in all respects the lawful  
6 successor to said district.

1 SECTION 2. The provisions of this act shall not  
2 affect any act done, ratified or confirmed by the said  
3 district or any of its officers prior to the effective date  
4 of this act, nor any right accrued or established, nor  
5 any action, suit or proceeding commenced or had in a  
6 civil case, nor shall it impair the validity of any of the

7 notes, bonds or other obligations of the said district  
8 outstanding on said date. Any indebtedness incurred  
9 by the district and outstanding at the time it is taken  
10 over by the town shall be assumed by the town.

1 SECTION 3. The fire department of said district  
2 as constituted on said effective date shall thereupon  
3 become the fire department of the town and shall be  
4 continued as such in the manner provided by, and in  
5 all respects as though the town had accepted, sec-  
6 tions forty-two to forty-four, inclusive, of chapter  
7 forty-eight of the General Laws; and the provisions  
8 of chapter forty-five of the acts of nineteen hundred  
9 thirty-eight, as affected by chapter one hundred nine-  
10 teen of the acts of nineteen hundred forty-five, and  
11 of chapter forty-six of the acts of nineteen hundred  
12 thirty-eight, applicable to the fire department of the  
13 district shall continue to apply to the positions of chief  
14 engineer and regular firemen and call men of the  
15 fire department of the town.

1 SECTION 4. This act shall take full effect upon its  
2 acceptance, within two years after its passage, by a  
3 majority of the voters of the Ware fire district number  
4 one present and voting thereon at a meeting called  
5 for the purpose, and by a majority of the voters of the  
6 town of Ware present and voting at any town meeting,  
7 but not otherwise.