

HOUSE No. 1379

By Messrs. Reilly and Carroll of Boston, petition of Thomas F. Reilly and John Henry Carroll that provisions of law requiring hearings and notices of hearings upon applications for certificates and permits by carriers of property by motor vehicle be made inapplicable to such carriers operated by veterans of World War I and II. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT MAKING THE PROVISIONS OF LAW REQUIRING HEARINGS, AND NOTICES OF HEARINGS, UPON APPLICATIONS FOR CERTAIN CERTIFICATES AND PERMITS BY CARRIERS OF PROPERTY BY MOTOR VEHICLES INAPPLICABLE TO SUCH CARRIERS WHO ARE VETERANS OF WORLD WAR I AND II.

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. 159B of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by inserting after section 4 the following
3 new section: —

4 *Section 4A.* A certificate referred to in section
5 three or in section four shall be issued to any honor-
6 ably discharged veteran of World War I and II who
7 makes application therefor if it is found that such
8 veteran is fit, willing and able properly to perform the

9 services proposed, and to conform to this chapter and
10 the lawful requirements, orders, rules and regulations
11 of the department thereunder, and compliance with
12 the provisions of paragraph (b) of section three, shall
13 not be required in the case of any application of a
14 veteran hereunder; provided, that such certificate
15 shall authorize use of only one motor vehicle which is
16 owned and to be operated by such veteran for the
17 transportation of property as a common carrier or a
18 contract carrier, as the case may be.