

HOUSE No. 770

By Mr. Sanderson of Marblehead, petition of Kendall A. Sanderson for legislation to further regulate payment of allowances for expenses of members of the General Court. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE PAYMENT OF ALLOWANCES FOR GENERAL EXPENSES OF MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL COURT.

1 *Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would
2 tend to defeat its purpose, which in part is to provide
3 for payment of allowances for general expenses to
4 members of the general court during the current
5 session, in addition to those heretofore authorized
6 by law, in that the payment of a substantial part of
7 such allowances would be unduly deferred, therefore
8 it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary
9 for the immediate preservation of the public con-
10 venience.

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. Section nine A of chapter three of
2 the General Laws, as appearing in section one of
3 chapter two hundred and forty-eight of the acts of
4 nineteen hundred and forty-five is hereby amended

5 by striking out the word "ten" in the third line thereof
6 and inserting in its place the word: — fifty.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect as of January
2 fifth, nineteen hundred and forty-nine.