

HOUSE No. 1963

By Mr. Bruin of Lowell, petition of James J. Bruin that provision be made for payment of pensions to all citizens who have been residents of the Commonwealth for at least three years. Pensions and Old Age Assistance.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PROVIDE ALL CITIZENS OF THE COMMONWEALTH WITH A PENSION.

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

1 The sum of one hundred dollars per month shall be
2 paid from the state treasury to every citizen of the
3 commonwealth who has been resident here for at least
4 three years, said sums to be derived from the proceeds
5 of the taxes on liquor and cigarettes, from funds set
6 aside for bonus payments to war veterans and from
7 other funds of the commonwealth.

The Commission on the Administration of the State Government
has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your report of the
State of the Administration of the State Government for the year
1963.

The Administration of the State Government

In the report you have presented a comprehensive and detailed
analysis of the State Government's performance during the year
1963.

We are most grateful for the information you have provided
and for the excellent cooperation of your staff.

The Commission on the Administration of the State Government
is pleased to have your report and to be assured of the
continued interest and cooperation of the State Government
in the improvement of its administration.

1. The total of one hundred dollars per month shall be
- 2 paid from the State Treasury for every citizen of the
- 3 Commonwealth who has been resident here for at least
- 4 three years and shall be derived from the proceeds
- 5 of the taxes on liquor and cigarettes from funds set
- 6 aside for public purposes for our reserves and from
- 7 other funds of the Commonwealth.