

HOUSE No. 2496

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 16, 1949.

The committee on Military Affairs and Public Safety, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 748) of John J. Curran and others that certain laws affecting veterans' organizations be made applicable to the Coast Guard League, and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1156) of Antonio de J. Cardozo, Harold C. Nagle, Louis F. O'Keefe and others relative to extending to the Portuguese American War Veterans of the United States, Inc., and their affiliated posts the benefits of certain laws affecting veterans, report (in part) the accompanying bill (House, No. 2496).

For the committee,

FRANCIS H. McNAMARA.

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING CERTAIN ORGANIZATIONS OF VETERANS TO DRILL AND PARADE WITH FIREARMS.

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 49 of chapter 33 of the General Laws, as
2 amended, is hereby further amended by inserting
3 after the word "Veterans" in lines 45 and 46, as
4 appearing in chapter 171 of the acts of 1948, the
5 words: — , the Coast Guard League, Inc., the Portu-
6 guese American War Veterans of the United States,
7 Inc.