

HOUSE No. 2011

By Mr. Conley of Lawrence, petition of the Federation of State, City and Town Employees (Ind.) and Joseph T. Conley for the payment of expenses of public employees successfully defending themselves against removal proceedings. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Four.

AN ACT REQUIRING THE PAYMENT OF EXPENSES OF ANY PERSON IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE INCURRED IN SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDING HIMSELF AGAINST REMOVAL PROCEEDINGS.

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 reasonable expenses, not to exceed five hun-
2 dred dollars, incurred by any person employed by the
3 commonwealth or any of its political subdivisions in
4 defending himself against charges on which he is
5 suspended or removed from his employment shall be
6 paid to him by the commonwealth or political sub-
7 division, as the case may be, if said charges are not
8 proved.

