

SENATE No. 465

To accompany the petition of Otis M. Whitney, Commissioner of Public Safety, for legislation to further regulate the age of enlistment in the uniformed branch of the Division of State Police in the Department of Public Safety. Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE AGE OF ENLISTMENT IN THE UNIFORMED BRANCH OF THE DIVISION OF STATE POLICE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

*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 9A of chapter 22 of the General Laws, as
2 most recently amended by chapter 502 of the acts of
3 1949, is hereby further amended by striking out in the
4 last sentence of paragraph 1 of said section 9A the
5 words "no person over thirty years of age" and in-
6 serting in place thereof the words: — no person who
7 has reached his thirtieth birthday, — so that said
8 sentence shall read: — No person who has reached his
9 thirtieth birthday shall be enlisted for the first time
10 as an officer of the division of state police, except that
11 said age qualification shall not apply in the case of the
12 enlistment of any woman as such an officer.

