

SENATE No. 764

To accompany the petition of John E. Powers for legislation to make veterans of the Korean War eligible to take civil service examinations, notwithstanding any age requirements. Civil Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT MAKING VETERANS OF THE KOREAN WAR ELIGIBLE TO TAKE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS, NOTWITHSTANDING ANY AGE REQUIREMENTS.

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. No Korean veteran, as defined in clause Forty-
2 third of section seven of chapter four of the General Laws, shall
3 for a period of ten years after the date of his honorable discharge
4 from the service of the armed forces of the United States, be dis-
5 qualified by reason of age from taking an examination under
6 chapter thirty-one of the General Laws for any particular
7 position, if at the time of his entry into such service he was of a
8 proper age to qualify for such examination, any provision of law
9 or rule establishing an age limit to the contrary notwithstanding.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall cease to be operative on January
2 thirty-first, nineteen hundred and sixty.

The Constitution of Massachusetts

In the Year of the Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty

the following amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts were proposed and adopted by the people of the Commonwealth at a general election held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of the month of September, A. D. 1920.

Article I of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The General Court, as defined in Article I, Section 1, of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shall consist of the Senate and the House of Representatives. The Senate shall be composed of six members, and the House of Representatives shall be composed of not more than thirty members, to be chosen by the people of the Commonwealth at general elections. The members of the Senate shall be chosen for terms of six years, and the members of the House of Representatives shall be chosen for terms of two years. The General Court shall have the power to impeach and remove any officer of the Commonwealth, and to elect a successor to any office so vacated.

Section 2. The next shall have to be approved on January 1, 1921, and shall remain in force until the next general election.