

SENATE No. 203

To accompany the petition of Michael H. Selzo that provision be made for the establishment of a purchasing department for the city of Worcester. Cities.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-Seven.

An Act relative to the Establishment of a Purchasing Department for the City of Worcester.

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. Notwithstanding the provisions of
2 sections one hundred and three and one hundred and
3 four of chapter forty-one of the General Laws, or any
4 other provision of general or special law, the mayor
5 of the city of Worcester may establish a purchasing
6 department for said city, to consist of a purchasing
7 agent and such assistants as said mayor may deter-
8 mine. The salaries of the purchasing agent and
9 assistants shall be determined by the mayor and city
10 council. Said purchasing agent shall be appointed,
11 and may be removed, by the mayor without cause
12 at any time. The said assistants shall be subject
13 to the civil service rules and regulations under chapter
14 thirty-one of the General Laws. The purchasing
15 agent shall purchase all supplies for said city and for

16 every department thereof, excepting in case of emer-
 17 gency. The provisions of chapter four hundred and
 18 forty-four of the acts of eighteen hundred and ninety-
 19 three, as amended, shall except as otherwise provided
 20 herein, apply to the purchases and contract for pur-
 21 chases of supplies and other materials for said city.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its
 2 passage.