

SENATE No. 177

By Mrs. Stanton (by request), petition of Rosaire Rajotte for legislation to provide that a vacancy in the office of United States Senator shall be filled by vote of the people at a special State election. Election Laws.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF UNITED STATES SENATOR SHALL BE FILLED BY VOTE OF THE PEOPLE AT A SPECIAL STATE ELECTION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 54 of the General Laws is hereby amended by strik-
2 ing out section 139 and inserting in place thereof the follow-
3 ing section: — *Section 139.* Upon failure to choose a senator
4 in congress or upon a vacancy in said office, the vacancy shall
5 be filled by a special state election called by the governor who
6 shall cause precepts to be issued to the aldermen in each city
7 and to the selectmen in each town; the state secretary shall
8 supply said cities and towns with ballots. Such special elec-
9 tion shall not be called later than the first Tuesday after the
10 first Monday in August.

to the extent of the total amount of the loan, the interest on the loan shall be paid by the borrower in the form of a series of payments, the first of which shall be made at the expiration of the term of the loan.

The Government of the Republic

in the year 1880, has the honor to inform you that

it has the pleasure to announce to you that a copy of the report on the progress of the work done during the year 1880, is now ready for distribution.

The report is divided into two parts, the first of which contains the general results of the work done during the year, and the second part contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.

1. Chapter I of the report is divided into three parts:—
2. Part I contains the general results of the work done during the year.
3. Part II contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.
4. Part III contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.
5. Part IV contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.
6. Part V contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.
7. Part VI contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.
8. Part VII contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.
9. Part VIII contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.
10. Part IX contains the details of the work done in each of the various branches of the service.