

HOUSE No. 898

By Mr. Cleary of Boston, petition of Joseph M. Ward and others that employees of certain housing authorities be placed under the civil service laws. Civil Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Five.

AN ACT TO PERMIT EMPLOYEES OF HOUSING AUTHORITIES
TO BE PLACED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE.

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. Chapter one hundred and twenty-one
2 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out
3 the last sentence of section twenty-six BB, and insert-
4 ing after section twenty-six II the following section:—
5 *Section 26JJ.* The tenure of the employees of any
6 housing authority established under this chapter may
7 by vote of the members of such authority be made
8 subject to the provisions of chapter thirty-one of the
9 General Laws and rules and regulations established
10 thereunder. In case of any such vote, the terms of
11 section forty-seven B of chapter thirty-one of the
12 General Laws shall apply to the employees affected by
13 such vote.

1 SECTION 2. All persons who were regularly em-
2 ployed by housing authorities on December seventh,
3 nineteen hundred and forty-one, and are so employed
4 on the effective date of this act, shall be subject to the
5 rules and regulations under chapter thirty-one of the
6 General Laws without examination.

1 SECTION 3. All appointments and promotions made
2 after the effective date of this act shall be temporary
3 until the end of hostilities and six months thereafter.