
By Mr. Tanerati of Springfield, petition of John C. Curley that certain correctional officers of county correctional institutions be made subject to civil service laws. Civil Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT MAKING CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS OF COUNTY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS SUBJECT TO THE CIVIL SERVICE LAWS.

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. The offices and positions of all correctional
2 officers of county houses of correction shall, upon the effective
3 date of this act, become subject to the civil service laws and
4 the rules made thereunder. Any incumbent who has served
5 in said offices or positions for a period of not less than one
6 year prior to said effective date shall be certified to said
7 office or position without examination and shall be deemed to
8 be permanently appointed thereto, and his tenure of office
9 shall be unlimited, subject, however, to all applicable provi-
10 sions of the civil service laws.

1 SECTION 2. In all future appointments to the offices and
2 positions aforesaid, no applicant shall be eligible for examina-
3 tion unless he has been a legal resident of the county in which
4 the institution is located for not less than six months prior to
5 the date of said examination.

