

By Mr. Weinberg of Boston (by request), petition of Michael J. Ward for creating a division of motor vehicle inspection within the Department of Public Safety and providing that no new model motor vehicle shall be sold without the approval of said division. State Administration.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT CREATING A DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND PROVIDING THAT NO NEW MODEL MOTOR VEHICLE SHALL BE SOLD WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF SAID DIVISION.

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 22 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding
2 after section 3 the following sections:—

3 *Section 3A.* There shall be in the department a division of
4 motor vehicle inspection. The commissioner shall, with the
5 approval of the governor, appoint a director of said division who
6 shall be a person of experience and skill as a mechanical engi-
7 neer. The commissioner may appoint such other skilled persons
8 as assistants as may be necessary to carry out the duties of said
9 division.

10 *Section 3B.* No new motor vehicle shall be sold or offered
11 for sale within the commonwealth until a model has been in-
12 spected and a written approval shall have been given to the
13 manufacturer.

14 *Section 3C.* The commission shall subject to the provisions
15 of chapter thirty A of the General Laws from time to time
16 make, amend and repeal such safety rules and regulations as
17 may be necessary to provide for the operation of safe motor
18 vehicles within the commonwealth.

THE COMMERCE COMMISSION

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE

1. This Act may be cited as the Commerce Commission Act, 1954.

2. The Commission shall be established as a body corporate with perpetual succession and shall have the following objects:

3. To investigate and report on the operations of the Commission.
4. To advise the Government on matters relating to the Commission.
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