

HOUSE No. 2404

By Mr. Holgate of Boston, petition of Franklin W. Holgate and David S. Tobin for legislation relative to the appointment of captains in the police department of the city of Boston. Cities.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE APPOINTMENT OF CAPTAINS IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

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

1 Notwithstanding any law, general or special, to the contrary,
2 upon the appointment of a captain in the police department of
3 the city of Boston, the person selected must be one of the first
4 three persons on the current civil service list for such position
5 and in addition thereto preference must be given to the can-
6 didate who lives in the area in which the captain will be as-
7 signed.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
IN SENATE, FEBRUARY 11, 1904.

THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF CONSPIRACY

BY THE HONORABLE JOHN D. LONG, OF MISSISSIPPI.

ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATORS
AND THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES ARE HEREBY ADVISED

THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING
RESOLUTION, TO-WIT:

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives do hereby
declare that the Constitution of the United States does not
authorize the Government to prosecute any conspiracy
against the Government, and that any such prosecution
is a violation of the Constitution of the United States.