

By Mr. Bernashe of Chicopee (by request), petition of Nancy E. Nahormek for legislation relative to the employment of certain females who are minors. Labor and Industries.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATING TO THE EMPLOYMENT OF CERTAIN FEMALE MINORS.

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 149 of the General Laws is hereby amended by strik-
2 ing out section 69, as most recently amended by section 7 of
3 chapter 461 of the acts of 1939, and inserting in place thereof the
4 following section:—

5 *Section 69.* No boy or girl under twelve shall sell, expose or
6 offer for sale any newspapers, magazines, periodicals or any other
7 articles of merchandise of any description, or exercise the trade of
8 bootblack or scavenger, or any other trade, in any street or public
9 place.

10 A boy or girl over twelve may engage or be employed in any
11 city or town in the sale or delivery of newspapers, magazines or
12 other periodicals in a street or on a newspaper route; provided,
13 that no minor under sixteen, except a child granted an employ-
14 ment permit by the superintendent of schools when such superin-
15 tendent determines that the welfare of such child will be better
16 served through the granting of such permit, may so engage or
17 be employed during the hours that the public schools of the city
18 or town in which such minor resides are in session nor before six
19 o'clock in the morning nor after eight o'clock in the evening, nor
20 unless such minor has secured a badge from the officer authorized
21 to issue permits for employment in the city or town where he
22 resides to which badge sections seventy-one and seventy-two
23 shall apply.

