

HOUSE No. 2913

By Mr. Buglione of Methuen (by request), petition of Karl Haartz for legislation to prohibit the appointment of members of the General Court to serve in the Executive of judicial branch of Government. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE EACH SEPARATE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH TO HAVE A WILL OF ITS OWN

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

1 Members of the General Court, or past members may not be
2 appointed to, or serve in the executive branch or the judicial
3 branch of the government until a period of not less than
4 sixteen years has passed since having last served in the General
5 Court or having failed to be elected thereto; nor may members
6 of the executive, or past members thereof be appointed to, or
7 serve in the legislative or judicial branches of the government
8 until a period of not less than sixteen years has passed since
9 having last served in the executive; nor may members of the
10 General Court who have failed of election to it or re-election
11 be appointed to any administrative or other function of the
12 General Court until a period of not less than 20 years has
13 passed since having last served in the General Court, or failed
14 of election or re-election to the General Court.

