

HOUSE No. 2464

By Mr. Flynn of Hanover, petition of Theresa A. Buffum and William J. Flynn, Jr., that provision be made for the equalization of wages within classifications of public employees. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE EQUALIZATION OF WAGES WITHIN CLASSIFICATIONS OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES.

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 7(a) of chapter 150E of the General Laws, as most
2 recently amended by section 4 of chapter 278 of the Acts of 1977, is
3 hereby amended by adding the following sentences: — “No public
4 employer shall negotiate with an employee organization a
5 collective bargaining agreement which results in the payment of
6 wages to any classification unequally. Any collective bargaining
7 agreement now in existence which has resulted in the payment of
8 wages to any classification unequally is declared null and void
9 thirty days from the date of enactment of this amendment. Within
10 sixty days thereof, the parties shall negotiate and enter into a new
11 collective bargaining agreement in accordance with chapter 150E
12 of the General Laws as amended.”

