

HOUSE No. 2851

By Mr. Nagle of Northampton, petition of William P. Nagle Jr., relative to the discharge, removal, suspension, lay off or transferral of civil service employees. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Two.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE DISCHARGE, REMOVAL, SUSPENSION, LAID OFF, OR TRANSFERAL OF CIVIL SERVICE 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 1. Section 41 of chapter 31 of the General Laws is
2 hereby amended by striking out the first sentence of paragraph one
3 and by substituting in its place the following: —

4 Except for just cause and except in accordance with the provi-
5 sions of this paragraph a tenured employee or a permanent full-
6 time employee serving a probationary period on a full-time basis
7 shall not be discharged, removed, suspended for a period of more
8 than five days, laid-off, transferred from his position without his
9 written consent, or lowered in rank or compensation without his
10 written consent, nor his position abolished.

1 SECTION 2. Section 34 of chapter 31 of the General Laws is
2 hereby amended by adding the words Civil Service Law, after the
3 end of paragraph one, Section 41, Chapter 31.

