

HOUSE No. 1233

By Mr. Barry of Boston, petition of Thomas E. Barry relative to seniority rights in respect to the suspension and re-employment of persons under the civil service laws. Civil Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO SENIORITY RIGHTS IN RESPECT TO
THE SUSPENSION AND RE-EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS IN
THE CLASSIFIED CIVIL SERVICE.

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 thirty-one of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by striking out section forty-six G, inserted
3 by chapter four hundred and eight of the acts of
4 nineteen hundred and thirty-five, and inserting in
5 place thereof the following: —
6 *Section 46G.* If the separation from service of
7 persons in the classified service becomes necessary
8 for any cause other than delinquency on the part of
9 the person sought to be removed, they shall be sus-
10 pended and re-employed according to their seniority
11 in the service so that the oldest employees in point of
12 service shall be retained the longest, and re-employed
13 first and before new names are certified.

