

HOUSE No. 1522

By Mr. Duffy of Boston, petition of Joseph E. Duffy that the law providing for public assistance for aged persons be made to apply to deserving citizens whose eyesight has been impaired. Pensions.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PREVENT THE PAUPERIZING CITIZENS OF THE
COMMONWEALTH INCAPACITATED BY REASON OF LOSS
OF SIGHT.

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 one of chapter one hundred and eighteen A
2 of the General Laws, as appearing in the Tercentenary
3 Edition, is hereby amended by adding after the word
4 "thereof" in the eleventh line thereof the following
5 new sentence: —

6 Any person whose sight in both eyes is less than
7 twenty-two hundredths of normal vision, with the
8 aid of glasses, shall be entitled to such assistance as
9 though he were sixty-five years of age or over.

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