

CHAP. 532. AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ACQUISITION OF LAND AND FOR THE ACQUISITION OR CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS TO BE USED EXCLUSIVELY BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DIVISION OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would unnecessarily delay the construction or acquisition of the much needed buildings provided for herein and thereby delay the removal of the present handicaps and hardships encountered in the existing buildings of the division of employment security, therefore, this act is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public safety and convenience.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. To provide for the acquisition of land and for the acquisition or construction of buildings to be used exclusively by the division of employment security and for the expenses of the director of the division of employment security in carrying out the provisions of this act there is hereby appropriated from the account of the commonwealth in the unemployment trust fund that is held pursuant to section nine hundred and three of the Social Security Act, as amended, the sum of four million six hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars.

SECTION 2. The money expended in compliance with this act shall be subject to the limitations set forth in section fifty-three A of chapter one hundred and fifty-one A of the General Laws but in no event shall said division of employment security obligate funds provided under this act in a total amount during any fiscal year which shall exceed the aggregate of the amounts credited to the account of the commonwealth by the federal government pursuant to Title IX of the Social Security Act during such fiscal year and the four preceding fiscal years, less the aggregate of the amounts of such funds used by the commonwealth and charged against the amounts credited to the account of the commonwealth during any of such five fiscal years.

SECTION 3. All expenditures of funds hereby appropriated shall be for expenses incurred after the effective date of this act.

SECTION 4. No part of the moneys appropriated by section one of this act shall be encumbered nor shall any contractual obligation be incurred hereunder after the close of the two-year period which begins on the effective date of this act. Any unencumbered moneys appropriated by section one shall revert to the account of the commonwealth in the unemployment trust fund at the earliest practical date but in no event later than at the close of such two-year period. Any unexpended funds appropriated by section one shall revert to the account of the commonwealth in the unemployment trust fund at the earliest practical date but in no event later than the time of the payment of all expenditures for the acquisition of land and for the acquisition or construction of buildings in each city or town.

SECTION 5. The director may, on behalf of and in the name of the commonwealth, acquire by purchase or otherwise, on such terms and conditions and in such manner as he may deem proper, or may take by eminent domain, under chapter seventy-nine of the General Laws, such lands, including buildings thereon as may be necessary for the purposes of this act; provided, however, that before a taking is made, the director

shall give security to the state treasurer, in such amount and in such form as may be determined by the attorney general, for the payment of such damages and costs as may be awarded for the land or other property so taken or injured; and provided, further, that if, upon petition of the owner and notice to the director, any security taken appears to the attorney general to have become insufficient, he shall require the director to give further security, to his satisfaction, to the state treasurer. If the director fails to so comply, any person entitled to such damages may treat the taking of his property or the proceedings by which the right to inflict injury thereon was acquired as void and any interference by said director with the use and enjoyment of his property as unlawful.

SECTION 6. The construction, razing, demolishing or remodeling of any buildings under this act shall be under the control and direction of the division of building construction in accordance with the provisions of chapter seven of the General Laws. *Approved August 15, 1958.*

CHAP. 533. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE QUALIFICATIONS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN VETERINARY MEDICINE, INCREASING THE POWERS OF SAID BOARD, AND FURTHER REGULATING THE LICENSING OF VETERINARIANS.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Chapter 13 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 26, as amended by chapter 192 of the acts of 1950, and inserting in place thereof the following section:— *Section 26.* There shall be a board of registration in veterinary medicine, in sections twenty-seven and twenty-eight called the board, consisting of five veterinarians. Each member of said board shall be a legal resident of and licensed to practice veterinary medicine in the commonwealth, a graduate of a school or college teaching veterinary medicine and approved by the approving authority, and shall have had at least five years' experience in the active practice of veterinary medicine, surgery and dentistry prior to his appointment. No member shall be a member of any faculty in any institution having the power to confer degrees in veterinary medicine. One member thereof shall annually before December first be appointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, for five years from January first following.

SECTION 2. Said chapter 13 is hereby further amended by striking out section 27, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition, and inserting in place thereof the following section:— *Section 27.* The members of the board shall meet in January of each year, at such time and place as they shall determine, and shall immediately organize by electing a chairman and a secretary, who shall hold their respective offices for one year. The board shall hold regular meetings at such times and places as it may determine. The secretary shall keep suitable books in which shall be an accurate record of all the proceedings of the board, and shall perform such duties as the rules and regulations of said board shall direct.

SECTION 3. Chapter 112 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 54, as so appearing, and inserting in place thereof the following section:— *Section 54.* The board of registration in