

HOUSE No. 595

Bill accompanying the petition of William A. Bellamy for legislation to authorize the nomination of senators and the election of members of state political committees by direct vote in the First Bristol Senatorial District. Election Laws. January 16.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven.

AN ACT

To provide for Direct Nomination of Candidates in the First
Bristol Senatorial District.

*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. Nominations by political parties of can-
2 didates for state senator from the first Bristol senatorial
3 district shall be made in caucuses by direct plurality
4 vote.

1 SECTION 2. Members of state political committees
2 from said district shall be elected by direct plurality vote
3 in the caucuses held for nominating a senator from said
4 district.

1 SECTION 3. All provisions of law relative to cau-
2 cuses of political parties and to nominations and elections

3 in caucuses by direct plurality vote and to ballots, re-
4 turns, and the duties of city clerks and registers, so far
5 as they are applicable, shall apply to caucuses and elec-
6 tions held in accordance with the provisions of this act.

1 SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.