

HOUSE No. 620

By Mr. McIntyre of Quincy, petition of James R. McIntyre that newly appointed police officers in cities and towns be required to attend police training schools.
Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Four.

AN ACT REQUIRING CERTAIN POLICE OFFICERS TO ATTEND POLICE TRAINING SCHOOLS.

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 22 of the General Laws is hereby amended by strik-
2 ing out section 9E and inserting in place thereof the following
3 section:—

4 *Section 9E.* The commissioner shall conduct schools for
5 training police officers of the cities and towns of the common-
6 wealth and shall appoint necessary instructors. There shall be
7 an advisory board to assist the commissioner whose members
8 shall be the directors of the Massachusetts Chiefs of Police,
9 Incorporated. The commissioner, with the advisory board,
10 shall prescribe the courses of study and time to be devoted to
11 the same. Cities and towns shall participate in such training
12 and shall reimburse the commonwealth for the necessary expense
13 thereof. Each newly appointed police officer in every city and
14 town shall, within three months of his appointment enroll in a
15 training school established by this section and take such courses
16 as may be prescribed.

The Constitution of the United States

Article I. Section 1. All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

Section 2. The House of Representatives shall be composed of Members chosen every second Year by the People of the several States, and the Electors in each State shall have the Qualifications requisite for Electors in that State.

They shall be chosen in each State in the Manner prescribed by the Legislature thereof, and they shall, when assembled, constitute the House of Representatives, which may sit and adjourn from Place to Place, and may determine the Rules of its Proceedings.

They shall have sole Power of Impeachment. The Senate shall have the sole Power of trying all Impeachments, when sitting for that Purpose, and when sitting for that Purpose shall have the same Rules and Proceedings as the Supreme Court of the United States.

They shall have the sole Power to impeach and try all Officers of the United States, and Judges of the same, and may remove them from Office on Impeachment.

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