HOUSE No. 1455

By Mr. Casey of Lawrence, petition of James A. Carroll, Lawrence P. Smith and John J. Cronin for legislation to place the position of dog officer of the city of Lawrence under the civil service laws. Civil Service.

The Commonwealth of Wassachusetts

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

An Act placing the position of dog officer of the city of lawrence under the civil service laws.

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. The position of dog officer of the city of Lawrence 2 shall be subject to the civil service laws and rules and the tenure
- 3 of office of any incumbent thereof upon the effective date of
- 4 this act shall be unlimited, subject, however, to said laws and
- 5 rules. Any such incumbent shall be subject to a qualifying ex-
- 6 amination by the division of civil service and, if he passes said
- 7 examination, shall be certified for said office and deemed to be
- 8 permanently appointed thereto without being required to serve
- 9 a probationary period. If he fails to pass said examination,
- 10 he may continue to serve in said office but shall not be subject
- 11 to said civil service laws and rules.
- 12 Any person holding the position of dog officer in said city
- 13 shall receive such compensation as may be provided under the
- 14 job classification and salary plan of said city.
- 1 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its acceptance by 2 the city of Lawrence.