

By Mrs. Newman of Cambridge, petition of Marjorie B. Herman, Mary B. Newman and another for legislation to allow the payment of travel expenses to volunteers contributing services to facilities under the control of the Department of Mental Health. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT ALLOWING CERTAIN TRAVEL EXPENSES TO BE PAID TO VOLUNTEERS CONTRIBUTING SERVICES TO FACILITIES UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH.

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 19 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
2 adding the following section:—

3 *Section 11.* Any person over twenty-one years of age who
4 contributes more than twenty hours per week of his services
5 on a regular basis without compensation therefor, in a
6 supervised capacity, to a facility of the department, may,
7 subject to the approval of the director of the facility to
8 which said services are contributed, be reimbursed for the
9 expenses of in-state travel necessitated by such services and
10 for in-state travel to and from his home to his regular
11 volunteer post. The amount of such travel expenses shall be
12 in accordance with and at the same rate paid under rules
13 promulgated by the director of personnel and standardiza-
14 tion under the provisions of section twenty-eight of chapter
15 seven for state employees. In addition to the foregoing, such
16 volunteers may receive the actual cost of registration for
17 attendance at any professional mental health conference
18 within or without the commonwealth. The commonwealth
19 shall in no way be liable for injuries incurred by such
20 volunteer, resulting from any accident which occurs in the
21 course of such travel or attendance at conferences.

By the House of Representatives, in testimony whereof, the same is hereby certified to the Secretary of the Senate, to be published in the Statutes at Large, and to be printed in the House of Representatives.

The Constitution of the United States

As amended by the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, and Nineteenth Amendments.

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA: WITH THE SUPPLEMENTAL ARTICLES AND AMENDMENTS, AND THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, AS AMENDED BY THE THIRTEENTH, FOURTEENTH, FIFTEENTH, AND NINETEENTH AMENDMENTS.

As amended by the Thirteenth and Nineteenth Amendments, and by the authority of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

1 Chapter 10 of the United States is hereby amended by

2 adding the following sections:—

3 Section 1. The first section of the Constitution shall be

4 amended so that the words "We the People" be changed

5 to "We the People of the United States"; and

6 amended so that the words "do hereby" be changed

7 to "do hereby certify"; and

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