

HOUSE No. 2660

By Mr. Donovan of Chelsea (by request), petition of Edward Nappan for making persons ineligible for appointment as court clerk unless they are duly authorized to practice law in the Commonwealth. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT MAKING ANY PERSON INELIGIBLE FOR APPOINTMENT AS COURT CLERK UNLESS HE IS DULY AUTHORIZED TO PRACTICE LAW IN THE COMMONWEALTH.

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 221 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting after section 16 the following section:—
- 3 *Section 16A.* No person shall be eligible for appointment as
- 4 a clerk or assistant clerk in any court of the commonwealth
- 5 unless he is duly authorized to practice law in the said
- 6 commonwealth.

