
By Mr. Tobin, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 731) of Arthur H. Tobin, Thomas F. Brownell and others for legislation to provide that a decree of divorce may be modified which may require that one of the parties shall be required under certain circumstances to make a conveyance of real property. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT A DECREE OF DIVORCE MAY BE MODIFIED WHICH MAY REQUIRE THAT ONE OF THE PARTIES SHALL BE REQUIRED UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES TO MAKE A CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY.

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 34A of Chapter 208 of the General Laws is amended
2 by adding at the end of said section the following sentence: —
3 In the event the court should enter a decree modifying the
4 final decree of divorce directing that a deed, conveyance or
5 release of any real estate or interest therein, said decree shall
6 create an equitable right to its enforcement subject to the
7 provisions for recording of notice in section fifteen of chapter
8 one hundred and eight-four, in the party entitled thereto by
9 the decree, and if the decree has not been complied with
10 within two months after said decree has been entered and a
11 certified copy of said decree is recorded or registered in the
12 manner provided by section forty-four of chapter one hundred
13 and eighty-three, then the decree itself shall operate to vest
14 title to the real estate or interest therein in the party entitled
15 thereto by the decree as fully and completely as if such deed,
16 conveyance or release had been duly executed by the party
17 directed to make it, and so recorded.

By the Senate, a petition for the relief of the said party, was presented to the Senate, and the same was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, who reported thereon, and the same was passed by the Senate, and the same was signed by the President of the United States, and the same was published in the Statutes at Large, and the same is hereby reprinted in this volume.

The Government of the State of New York

In the Year of the Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW IN RELATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE LAND OFFICE, AND TO REPEAL AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE LAND OFFICE, PASSED IN THE YEAR OF THE LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY SEVEN.

Enacted by the Senate and Assembly of the State of New York in General Session, on the 15th day of March, in the year of the Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.

1. Section 114 of Chapter 509 of the Laws of 1877 is amended to read as follows:
2. By adding to the end of said section the following sentence:
3. In the event the said statute shall be amended so as to require the said Commissioner to file a report with the Senate, the said Commissioner shall file such report with the Senate, and the said report shall be printed and distributed to the members of the Senate.
4. Section 115 of Chapter 509 of the Laws of 1877 is amended to read as follows:
5. By adding to the end of said section the following sentence:
6. In the event the said statute shall be amended so as to require the said Commissioner to file a report with the Senate, the said Commissioner shall file such report with the Senate, and the said report shall be printed and distributed to the members of the Senate.
7. Section 116 of Chapter 509 of the Laws of 1877 is amended to read as follows:
8. By adding to the end of said section the following sentence:
9. In the event the said statute shall be amended so as to require the said Commissioner to file a report with the Senate, the said Commissioner shall file such report with the Senate, and the said report shall be printed and distributed to the members of the Senate.
10. Section 117 of Chapter 509 of the Laws of 1877 is amended to read as follows:
11. By adding to the end of said section the following sentence:
12. In the event the said statute shall be amended so as to require the said Commissioner to file a report with the Senate, the said Commissioner shall file such report with the Senate, and the said report shall be printed and distributed to the members of the Senate.
13. Section 118 of Chapter 509 of the Laws of 1877 is amended to read as follows:
14. By adding to the end of said section the following sentence:
15. In the event the said statute shall be amended so as to require the said Commissioner to file a report with the Senate, the said Commissioner shall file such report with the Senate, and the said report shall be printed and distributed to the members of the Senate.
16. Section 119 of Chapter 509 of the Laws of 1877 is amended to read as follows:
17. By adding to the end of said section the following sentence:
18. In the event the said statute shall be amended so as to require the said Commissioner to file a report with the Senate, the said Commissioner shall file such report with the Senate, and the said report shall be printed and distributed to the members of the Senate.
19. Section 120 of Chapter 509 of the Laws of 1877 is amended to read as follows:
20. By adding to the end of said section the following sentence:
21. In the event the said statute shall be amended so as to require the said Commissioner to file a report with the Senate, the said Commissioner shall file such report with the Senate, and the said report shall be printed and distributed to the members of the Senate.

By Mr. Tobin, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 732) of Arthur H. Tobin for legislation relative to the retirement or resignation of the members of the judiciary. The Judiciary.

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT OR RESIGNATION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE JUDICIARY.

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 32 of the General Laws is hereby amended by strik-
2 ing out section 65A and inserting in place thereof the follow-
3 ing new section: —

4 *Section 65A.* A chief justice or any associate justice of the
5 supreme judicial court, the superior court or the municipal
6 court of the city of Boston, any judge or associate judge of the
7 land court, any judge or probate and insolvency, a justice of
8 any district court other than the municipal court of the city
9 of Boston, or a justice of the juvenile court, the Worcester or
10 the Springfield juvenile court, who shall be retired under Art.
11 LVIII of the amendments to the constitution shall thereupon
12 be entitled to receive a pension for life at an annual rate equal
13 to three-fourths of the current salary of the office from which
14 he retired, to be paid from the same source and in the same
15 manner as the salaries of like judicial officers of his court are
16 paid.

17 A chief justice, justice, associate justice, judge or associate
18 judge of any such court or courts who, after having served
19 in any such office or offices at least ten years continuously, and
20 having attained the age of seventy years, or who, after having
21 served in any such office or offices at least fifteen years contin-
22 uously and having attained the age of sixty-five years shall
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The first section of the bill is intended to amend the law relating to the appointment of judges of the Supreme Court. It provides that the President shall have the power to appoint and remove judges of the Supreme Court at will, without the consent of the Senate. This is a significant change from the present law, which requires the consent of the Senate for the appointment and removal of judges of the Supreme Court.

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. No Person shall be a Representative who shall not, when elected, have seven Years since he last attained to the Age of twenty one Years, and seven Years since he last became a Citizen of the United States; and when elected shall have been seven Years a Citizen of that State in which he shall be chosen.

Section 3. The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, chosen by the Electors in each State, for six Years; and each Senator shall have the Qualifications requisite for Electors in that State.

Section 4. The Electors in each State shall have the Qualifications requisite for Electors in that State. The Electors shall meet in each State at the Time and Place in each State determined by the Legislature thereof, and they shall vote for all the Electors in that State. No State shall have less Electors than the Number of Senators to which it is entitled by the Constitution. No Senator or Representative shall be an Inhabitant of that State in which he shall be chosen. No Person shall be a Representative who shall not, when elected, have seven Years since he last attained to the Age of twenty one Years, and seven Years since he last became a Citizen of the United States; and when elected shall have been seven Years a Citizen of that State in which he shall be chosen. No Person shall be a Senator who shall not, when elected, have nine Years since he last attained to the Age of thirty Years, and nine Years since he last became a Citizen of the United States; and when elected shall have been nine Years a Citizen of that State in which he shall be chosen. The Electors shall meet in each State at the Time and Place in each State determined by the Legislature thereof, and they shall vote for all the Electors in that State. No State shall have less Electors than the Number of Senators to which it is entitled by the Constitution. No Senator or Representative shall be an Inhabitant of that State in which he shall be chosen. No Person shall be a Representative who shall not, when elected, have seven Years since he last attained to the Age of twenty one Years, and seven Years since he last became a Citizen of the United States; and when elected shall have been seven Years a Citizen of that State in which he shall be chosen. No Person shall be a Senator who shall not, when elected, have nine Years since he last attained to the Age of thirty Years, and nine Years since he last became a Citizen of the United States; and when elected shall have been nine Years a Citizen of that State in which he shall be chosen.

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by the Senate a further amendment to the bill, which the bill to
 amend the laws relating to the government and officers of the
 State and to provide for the election of the Governor and
 of the Senate shall be reported to the Senate, to be read a
 second time.

The Government of the State

In the year 1845 the following bill was introduced:

An Act providing for a change of the mode of electing the
 Governor and Senate, and for the election of the
 Judges of the Supreme Court, and for the election of
 the Justices of the Peace.

It is enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in
 General Assembly, that the following be the law:

1. Section 104 of Chapter 208 of the General Laws shall be amended
 so that the words "and the Senate" shall be inserted after the
 words "the Governor" in the first line of the section.
2. In the words "the Governor" in the first line of the section
 the word "and" shall be inserted after the word "Governor".
3. Section 105 of Chapter 208 of the General Laws shall be amended
 so that the words "and the Senate" shall be inserted after the
 words "the Governor" in the first line of the section.
4. In the words "the Governor" in the first line of the section
 the word "and" shall be inserted after the word "Governor".
5. Section 106 of Chapter 208 of the General Laws shall be amended
 so that the words "and the Senate" shall be inserted after the
 words "the Governor" in the first line of the section.
6. In the words "the Governor" in the first line of the section
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7. Section 107 of Chapter 208 of the General Laws shall be amended
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1. Section 104 of Chapter 108 of the United States Statutes at Large...
2. by which at the end of said section the following sentence...
3. in the words "the word" should occur a comma reading "the"
4. first degree of the said statute that a third, consisting of
5. words to the effect that in cases where the said statute shall
6. create an additional right in an agreement subject to the
7. provisions for recovery of money in cases of such character
8. now provided and addition to the first entitled thereby by
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10. within two months after said statute has been amended and a
11. amended copy of said statute is received or approved in the
12. manner provided by section forty-two of chapter one hundred
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14. there is the said statute or interest therein in the first section
15. thereof of the statute as fully and completely as if said
16. statute be amended but such only as is required by the first
17. section to amend it and as provided.