

**Chap.103** AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TIME FOR GIVING NOTICE OF TOWN MEETINGS IN THE TOWN OF BILLERICA.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

The second paragraph of section 4 of chapter 6 of the acts of 1955 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 3, the word "seven" and inserting in place thereof the word: — five, — so that the first sentence will read as follows: — The town clerk shall notify the town meeting members of the time and place at which representative town meetings are to be held, the notices to be sent by mail at least five days before the meeting. *Approved February 21, 1957.*

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**Chap.104** AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE COMPENSATION OF CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH ESSEX SEWERAGE DISTRICT BOARD.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The second paragraph of section 2 of chapter 339 of the acts of 1925 is hereby amended by striking out the fifth sentence, as amended by section 1 of chapter 468 of the acts of 1956, and inserting in place thereof the following sentence: — Each of the other members of said board shall receive from said district in addition to any compensation from any other source, such annual compensation, not exceeding six hundred dollars, as the governor and council may from time to time determine.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its acceptance by a majority of the cities and towns in the South Essex Sewerage District. In any city in said district it shall be accepted by vote of the city council, in accordance with the terms of its charter, and in any such town it shall be accepted by a majority of the voters voting thereon at a regular or special town meeting. *Approved February 21, 1957.*

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**Chap.105** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF FISHERIES AND GAME TO EXTEND THE NUMBER OF DAYS FOR THE HUNTING OF RUFFED GROUSE, QUAIL OR PHEASANTS.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

The third paragraph of section 59 of chapter 131 of the General Laws, as appearing in section 2 of chapter 599 of the acts of 1941, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 5, the word "thirty-two" and inserting in place thereof the word: — fifty-five, — so as to read as follows: —

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to prohibit the hunting of ruffed grouse, quail or pheasants in accordance with any provision of sections fifty-four, sixty and sixty-one, nor to permit the director to declare an open season in excess of fifty-five consecutive days, nor to declare a daily bag limit in excess of three, or a season bag limit in excess of fifteen, ruffed grouse. *Approved February 21, 1957.*