

SENATE No. 971

By Mr. Lewis, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 971) of the Massachusetts Police and Firefighters Association, by John A. Rossi, and Arthur Joseph Lewis, Jr., for legislation to increase the survivor benefits of certain widows. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO INCREASE THE SURVIVOR BENEFITS OF CERTAIN WIDOWS.

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 one hundred and one of chapter thirty-two of the
- 2 General Laws, as most recently amended by chapter seven
- 3 hundred and ninety-three of the acts of 1972, is hereby further
- 4 amended by striking the words "shall be increased to sixteen
- 5 hundred and eighty dollars" and inserting in place thereof the
- 6 words "shall be increased to three thousand dollars".

to the Senate a bill to amend the act approved July 1, 1907, in relation to the management of the public lands and to provide for the disposal of the same, and for other purposes.

The bill is as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be and he is authorized to sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of the public lands in accordance with the provisions of the act approved July 1, 1907, and the amendments thereto, and to make such regulations as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this act.