

By Mr. Lemanski of Chicopee, petition of Kenneth M. Lemanski, Michael J. Rea, Jr., Peter B. Morin, Walter A. DeFilippi, Denis Lawrence and another relative to the use of certain tests by employers. Commerce and Labor.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN BUSINESS PRACTICES.

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 149 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking
2 section 19B, as most recently amended by Chapter 587 of the Acts of
3 1985, and inserting in place thereof the following section: —

4 Section 19B. (1) As used in this section the term “lie detector
5 test” shall mean any test utilizing a polygraph or any other device,
6 mechanism, instrument or written examination which is operated,
7 or the results of which are used or interpreted by an examiner for
8 the purpose of purporting to assist in or enable the detection of
9 deception, the verification of truthfulness, or the rendering of a
10 diagnostic opinion regarding the honesty of an individual.

11 As used in this section the term “written examination” shall not
12 include written integrity tests or other personality tests or question-
13 naires that have been validated by a licensed psychologist and in
14 substantial compliance with the “Standards for Educational and
15 Psychological Testing” published by the American Psychological
16 Associations; and, in no event shall any information accumulated
17 hereunder be disseminated to any entity other than the prospective
18 employer.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE
IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
ON FEBRUARY 1, 1892

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THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE
HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

1. The purpose of this report is to inform the House of Representatives of the progress of the work of the Land Office during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1891.
2. The Land Office has during the year been engaged in the following work:
3. In the sale of the public lands, the following amount has been received:
4. The amount of the public debt has been reduced by the following amount:
5. The amount of the public debt has been increased by the following amount:
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