

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 3104

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By Mr. Lemanski of Chicopee, petition of Kenneth M. Lemanski and Peter B. Morin for an investigation and study by the committee on Commerce and Labor relative to small businesses and the regulations imposed upon such businesses. Commerce and Labor.

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## **The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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1 *Ordered*, That the committee on Commerce and Labor shall be  
2 authorized to sit during the recess of the General Court for the  
3 purpose of making an investigation and study relative to small  
4 business and regulations imposed upon them in the Common-  
5 wealth.

6 Said committee shall be provided with quarters in the State  
7 House or elsewhere, may hold public hearings, may travel within the  
8 Commonwealth, and may expend for clerical and other services  
9 and expenses such sums as may be appropriated therefor. Said  
10 committee shall report to the General Court the results of its investi-  
11 gation and study and its recommendations, if any, together with  
12 drafts of legislation necessary to carry such recommendations into  
13 effect by filing the same with the Clerk of the House of Representa-  
14 tives on or before the first Wednesday in November, nineteen  
15 hundred and eighty-seven.

By Mr. Lammie of Chicago, Chairman of Committee on Education, and Mr. B. Mann for an investigation and study by the committee on the conditions and labor relations in small business and the legislation proposed therefor. (Comm. on Education and Labor.)

### The Employment of Women

In the Senate Chamber and the House of Representatives

1. Object. The purpose of this investigation is to determine the conditions of employment of women in the United States and to report thereon to the House of Representatives.
2. Authority. This investigation is authorized by the Senate and the House of Representatives.
3. Purpose. The purpose of this investigation is to determine the conditions of employment of women in the United States and to report thereon to the House of Representatives.
4. Scope. This investigation is limited to the conditions of employment of women in the United States.
5. Method. This investigation will be conducted by the committee on Education and Labor.
6. Report. The committee will report to the House of Representatives on or before the 1st day of December, 1917.
7. Expenses. The expenses of this investigation will be paid by the House of Representatives.
8. Witnesses. The committee will call such witnesses as it may deem proper.
9. Hearings. The committee will hold such hearings as it may deem proper.
10. Publication. The report of the committee will be printed and distributed to the members of the House of Representatives.
11. Effect. The report of the committee will be considered by the House of Representatives.
12. Resolutions. The committee will recommend such resolutions as it may deem proper.
13. Committee. The committee on Education and Labor is authorized to conduct this investigation.
14. Report. The committee will report to the House of Representatives on or before the 1st day of December, 1917.
15. Expenses. The expenses of this investigation will be paid by the House of Representatives.