

By Mr. Businger of Brookline, petition of John A. Businger and Arthur Joseph Lewis, Jr., for a legislative amendment to the Constitution relative to repealing the limitation on the number of signatures of voters of any one county on referendum petitions. Election Laws.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

PROPOSAL FOR A LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION
REPEALING THE LIMITATION ON THE NUMBER OF SIGNATURES OF
VOTERS OF ANY ONE COUNTY ON REFERENDUM PETITIONS.

1 A majority of all the members elected to the Senate and House
2 of Representatives, in joint session, hereby declares it to be
3 expedient to alter the Constitution by the adoption of the
4 following Article of Amendment, to the end that it may become
5 a part of the Constitution [if similarly agreed to in a joint session
6 of the next General Court and approved by the people at the state
7 election next following]:

8 **ARTICLE OF AMENDMENT.**

9 Article XLVIII of the Amendments to the Constitution is
10 hereby amended by striking out subheading II under the heading
11 "General provisions".

REPORT OF THE

COMMISSIONERS OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

IN ANSWER TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

IN APRIL 1861

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