

appointive member, his successor shall be appointed for three years by the governor, with the advice and consent of the council.

SECTION 9. The titles preceding section twenty-one of said chapter fifteen and section forty-two of said chapter seventy-four, both as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition, are respectively changed to CERTAIN TEXTILE INSTITUTES. Changes in certain titles.

*Approved May 1, 1946.*

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR EXTENSIONS OF THE BOUNDARIES OF THE WEST AND SOUTH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT OF ACTON. Chap.258

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

SECTION 1. Chapter three hundred and twenty-six of the acts of nineteen hundred and twelve, as amended, is hereby further amended by inserting after section twelve the following section: — *Section 12A.* Upon a petition in writing addressed to said commissioners of said water supply district, requesting that certain real estate, accurately described therein, located in said town and abutting on said district and not otherwise served by a public water supply, be included within the limits thereof, and signed by the owners of such real estate, or a major portion of such real estate, said commissioners shall cause a duly warned meeting of the district to be called, at which meeting the voters may vote on the question of including said real estate within the district. If a majority of the voters present and voting thereon vote in the affirmative, the clerk of said district shall, within ten days, file with the town clerk of said town and with the state secretary an attested copy of said petition and vote, and thereupon said real estate shall become and be part of the district and shall be holden under this chapter in the same manner and to the same extent as the real estate described in section one.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved May 2, 1946.*

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF PEABODY TO MAKE IMMEDIATE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS NOW IN ITS POSSESSION. Chap.259

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

SECTION 1. The city of Peabody is hereby authorized to transfer the unexpended balance of the proceeds of a loan made in December, nineteen hundred and forty-four, to provide funds for enlarging Spring Pond reservoir to any other account established for purposes for which a loan may be authorized for not less than twenty years, notwithstanding the provisions of section twenty of chapter forty-four of the General Laws.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved May 2, 1946.*