

By Mr. Lawless of Orleans, petition of Robert C. Lawless (by vote of the town) relative to the certain changes in the charter of the town of Provincetown. Local Affairs. [Local Approval Received.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Two.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF PROVINCETOWN.

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 1. The charter of the town of Provincetown which
2 is on file in the office of the archivist of the commonwealth, as
3 provided in section twelve of chapter forty-three B of the General
4 Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 4-2-6 the
5 following section: —

6 Section 4-2-7. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this
7 charter, the board of selectmen shall be the issuing authority for
8 all fishing and shellfishing grants, permits and licenses that are
9 issued under provisions of chapter one hundred thirty of the
10 General Laws and over which the state's division of marine
11 fisheries has any power of review or administrative control.

1 SECTION 2. Said charter is hereby further amended by
2 striking out section 6-16-3 and inserting in place thereof the
3 following section: —

4 Section 6-16-3. Unless otherwise provided by the vote creating
5 a town board, the board shall consist of five regular members plus
6 one alternate and may have two alternates when formally
7 requested to do so by the committee in question and approved
8 of by the Board of Selectmen for three-year overlapping terms
9 so arranged that the term of at least one regular member shall
10 expire each year.

