

By Miss Howe of Somerville, petition of Marie E. Howe for legislation to establish a placement board for the employment of persons forty-five to sixty-five years of age. Commerce and Labor.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Nine.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PLACEMENT BOARD FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONS FORTY-FIVE TO SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE.

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 9N of chapter 23 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by adding after paragraph (b) the following para-
3 graph:—

4 (c) There shall be in the division a placement board for the
5 employment of persons forty-five to sixty-five years of age,
6 consisting of three persons to be appointed by the governor.
7 The governor shall from time to time designate one of the
8 members as chairman. Of the members first appointed, one
9 shall be appointed for a term of two years, one for a term of
10 four years, and one for a term of six years, and thereafter as
11 the term of a member expires his successor shall be appointed
12 for a term of six years. Vacancies shall be filled in like manner
13 for the remainder of the unexpired term. All members shall
14 serve until the qualification of their respective successors.
15 Each of the members of the board shall receive the sum of
16 forty dollars as compensation for each day's attendance at
17 meetings of the board; provided, however, that the total
18 amount paid hereunder to any such member shall not exceed
19 twenty-four hundred dollars in any calendar year. The
20 members of the board shall receive their traveling and other
21 necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their
22 duties. The director shall provide for the board suitable
23 quarters and such clerical and other assistance as the board
24 may deem necessary. Said offices and the incumbents thereof
25 shall not be subject to chapter thirty-one and the rules and
26 regulations made thereunder.

