

HOUSE No. 1765

By Mr. Smith of Lawrence, petition of Lawrence P. Smith for legislation relative to provisional appointments to permanent positions under the civil service law. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO PROVISIONAL APPOINTMENTS TO PERMANENT POSITIONS.

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. Notwithstanding the provisions of the first para-
2 graph of section fifteen of chapter thirty-one of the General Laws
3 relative to the period for which a provisional appointment to fill
4 a permanent position may be made, such provisional appoint-
5 ment, subject to other provisions of said section fifteen, may be
6 authorized for a period of two years instead of one year.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall cease to be effective on June
2 thirtieth, nineteen hundred and seventy; provided, that in any
3 office or position in the commonwealth or any agency or political
4 subdivision thereof, where compliance with the federal stan-
5 dards for a merit system of personnel administration is a condition
6 for the granting of federal funds, the examination shall be held
7 within a year from the date of the approval of any provisional
8 authorization.

