

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2451

By Mr. Feeney of Boston, petition of Michael Paul Feeney for regulating further the time within which requests for hearings may be made in connection with claims for benefits under the Employment Security Law. Commerce and Labor.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE TIME WITHIN WHICH REQUESTS FOR HEARING MAY BE MADE IN CONNECTION WITH CLAIMS FOR BENEFITS UNDER THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW.

*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 39 of chapter 151A of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by striking out the second sentence and inserting  
3 in place thereof the following sentence:—In accordance with  
4 the procedure prescribed by the director, benefits shall be  
5 paid or denied unless a hearing is requested by a party affected  
6 within five days after receipt, but in no case more than  
7 seven days after mailing of said notice unless the board,  
8 in its discretion grants additional time within which a hearing  
9 may be requested.

The Constitution of the United States

Article I, Section 1

All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.