

Accompanying the fifth recommendation of the Department of the State Auditor (House, No. 16). Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE AUDITOR.

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 6 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, as most recently
2 amended by chapter 580 of the acts of 1980, is hereby further
3 amended by striking section 6 in its entirety and inserting in its
4 place the following new section: —

5 The state auditor may appoint and remove such employees as
6 the work of the department may require. Said department shall
7 include a division of local mandates. The state auditor shall estab-
8 lish the salaries and duties of all officers and employees within the
9 department of the state auditor; provided, however, that the salar-
10 ies of said officers and employees shall not exceed the sum annually
11 appropriated therefor by the general court. Notwithstanding the
12 provision of any general or special law to the contrary, the state
13 auditor shall establish personnel rules governing the functioning of
14 said department including matters such as the availability and
15 accumulation of vacation leave, sick leave or other leave, hours of
16 employment, overtime and grievances.

17 The provisions of sections nine A and forty-five of chapter
18 thirty, chapter thirty-one and chapter one hundred and fifty E shall
19 not apply to officers and employees within the department of the
20 state auditor.

A copy of the 1917-18 report of the
Board of Directors, together with
the financial statements, is being
sent to you by mail.

The Government of the Republic

of the United States of America

Department of the Interior

Division of Reclamation

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for you are the report of the
Board of Directors, together with
the financial statements, for the
year ending June 30, 1917.

The report shows that the
Department has during the year
been successful in carrying out
its program of reclamation work.

Very truly yours,
Secretary of the Interior