

# ACTS.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PLACING ON THE BALLOT OF CERTAIN DESCRIPTIVE WORDS AGAINST THE NAMES OF CERTAIN CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION AS TOWN MEETING MEMBERS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE SO CALLED STANDARD FORM OF REPRESENTATIVE TOWN MEETING GOVERNMENT. Chap. 1

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

SECTION 1. Chapter forty-three A of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section six, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition, and inserting in place thereof the following:— *Section 6.* Nomination of candidates for town meeting members to be elected under this chapter shall be made by nomination papers, which shall bear no political designation, shall be signed by not less than ten voters of the precinct in which the candidate resides, and shall be filed with the town clerk at least ten days before the election; provided, that any town meeting member, including any town meeting member in office under the provisions of a special statute under which such town is operating immediately prior to the taking effect therein of the standard form of representative town meeting government provided by this chapter, may become a candidate for re-election by giving written notice thereof to the town clerk at least thirty days before the election. If a town meeting member is a candidate for re-election, the words "Candidate for Re-election" shall be printed against his name as it appears on the ballot for the election of town officers. No nomination papers shall be valid in respect to any candidate whose written acceptance is not thereon or attached thereto when filed.

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 43A, § 6, amended.

Nominations, method of, etc.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage. Effective date.  
*Approved January 22, 1943.*

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE PLACING OF THE OFFICE OF CHIEF OF POLICE OF THE TOWN OF MILLBURY UNDER THE CIVIL SERVICE LAWS. Chap. 2

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The office of chief of police of the town of Millbury shall, upon the effective date of this act, become subject to the civil service laws and rules and regulations relating to police officers in towns, and the tenure of office of any incumbent thereof shall be unlimited, subject, how-