## SENATE . . . . . . No. 1113

By Mr. Buell, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1113) of Robert C. Buell for legislation to clarify the procedures relative to a pending classification appeal by certain members of the department of state police. Public Service.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Three.

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCEDURES RELATIVE TO A PENDING CLASSIFI-CATION APPEAL BY CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE.

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

- 1 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, for
- 2 the purpose of deciding any pending appeals filed under
- 3 Chapter 30, section 49 of the General Laws by former officers of 4 the Capital Police and Registry Police Department of the Registry
- 4 the Capital Police and Registry Police Department of the Registry
  5 of Motor Vehicles, the appellants will be granted the benefit of
- 6 a presumption that their proper rank classification in the
- 7 Department of State Police, unless clear and convincing evidence
- 8 is presented to the contrary, is that rank for which any such
- 9 appellant completed a Police Consolidation Class Specification
- 10 Review at the direction of the Department of Personnel
- 11 Administration prior to February 28, 1992.