

HOUSE No. 2398

By Mr. Buglione of Methuen, petition of Nicholas J. Buglione and another relative to unauthorized leaves of absence. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATING TO UNAUTHORIZED LEAVES OF ABSENCE.

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 38 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws is hereby amended
2 by striking the third and fourth paragraphs and substituting the
3 following: —

4 If an appointing authority fails to grant such person a leave of
5 absence pursuant to the provisions of the preceding paragraph or,
6 after a request for a hearing pursuant to the provisions of this
7 section, fails to restore such person to the position formerly occu-
8 pied by him, such person may, within thirty days, appeal such
9 decision pursuant to sections forty-one through forty-five.

To the Honorable Members of the House of Representatives
of the United States of America

The Committee on Education

has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your report

and to express its appreciation for the information
therein contained. The Committee is particularly
interested in the results of your investigation
and in the conclusions reached by you.

The Committee is also interested in the
methods employed by you in conducting the
investigation.

It is requested that you continue to
keep the Committee advised of any
developments which may arise in
connection with the investigation.
Very truly yours,
The Committee on Education