

By Mr. Constantino of Clinton, petition of William Constantino, Jr., relative to making changes in the House Rules to provide for the filing of monthly personnel reports and regulating the payment of salaries to certain members of the House. Rules (House).

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

Ordered, That the Rules of the House of Representatives be amended as follows:

In Rule 7 by inserting after the word "chaplain.", in line 5, the following sentence: "The Speaker shall file a monthly report with the Clerk of the House on the number of personnel in the legislative services and or the number of consultants in the legislative services and the names, salaries, job descriptions, and weekly hours of employment thereof."; and

In Rule 18 by inserting after the third paragraph the following paragraph:

"No committee chairman shall receive a salary differential greater than one thousand dollars; no member of the House, except the Speaker, Majority Leader and Minority Leader shall receive compensation for postage, and neither the Speaker nor any member in a leadership position in either the majority party or the minority party shall receive a salary differential greater than one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) the base salary of a state representative."

