

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 5698

By Mr. Businger of Brookline, petition of the Massachusetts AFL-CIO, and John A. Businger relative to the licensing of motion picture projectionists. Government Regulations.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC SAFETY OF THE PATRONS OF MOTION PICTURE THEATRES IN THE COMMONWEALTH.

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

1 Chapter 143 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking  
2 out section 75, effective January 1, 1984, and inserting in place  
3 thereof the following section: —

4 *Section 75.* No person shall operate such apparatus in any  
5 public building until he has received a license to do so from an  
6 inspector. No such license shall be granted until the applicant has  
7 passed both a written and practical examination proving him to be  
8 thoroughly skilled in the working of the mechanical and electrical  
9 apparatus or devices used therein or connected therewith; nor  
10 unless he has submitted evidence as to his responsibility in regard  
11 to the safety of the public, and no person under eighteen years of  
12 age shall be eligible for such examination.

