

HOUSE No. 2602

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, June 21, 1951.

The committee on Municipal Finance on the part of the House to whom was referred the Bill increasing the compensation of the uniformed members of the fire department of the city of Boston (House, No. 2408), report that the same ought to pass in the form of a new draft herewith submitted (House, No. 2602).

For the committee,

FRANCIS JOYCE.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-One.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE COMPENSATION OF THE PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE UNIFORMED FIRE FIGHTING FORCE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

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 1. The permanent members of the uni-
2 formed fire fighting force of the city of Boston shall
3 receive for their services minimum annual salaries as
4 follows: — privates, three thousand dollars for the
5 first year of service, thirty-five hundred dollars for the
6 second year of service, and four thousand dollars for
7 the third and succeeding years of service; lieutenants,
8 forty-five hundred dollars; captains, five thousand
9 dollars; district chiefs, fifty-eight hundred and forty
10 dollars; and deputy chiefs, sixty-three hundred and
11 ninety dollars.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall be submitted to the
2 registered voters of the city of Boston at the munic-
3 ipal election in the current year in the form of the
4 following question, which shall be placed upon the
5 official ballot to be used in said city in said election: —
6 “Shall an act passed by the general court in the year
7 nineteen hundred and fifty-one, entitled ‘An Act

8 Relative to the Compensation of the Permanent Mem-
9 bers of the Uniformed Fire Fighting Force of the City
10 of Boston' and fixing the minimum annual salary of
11 privates at \$3,000 for the first year, \$3,500 for
12 the second year, and \$4,000 for the third and suc-
13 ceeding years of service and the minimum annual
14 salary of officers at varying higher amounts, be ac-
15 cepted?" If a majority of votes in answer to said
16 question are in the affirmative, this act shall take
17 effect on January second, nineteen hundred and fifty-
18 two, but not otherwise.

