

HOUSE No. 691.

[Bill accompanying the petition of William S. Wheeler. Election
Laws.]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-nine.

AN ACT

To Amend an Act Relative to the Appointment of Assistant Assessors in 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. Section one of chapter two hundred and
2 seventy-six of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and
3 ninety-four is hereby amended by adding at the end of
4 said section the words: "No one shall be appointed an
5 assistant assessor under this act unless he has received
6 the written endorsement for this appointment of the
7 president of the city committee of the political party in
8 said city, of which the appointee claims to be a mem-
9 ber," so as to read as follows:— "*Section 1.* In the
10 city of Boston the assistant assessors shall be appointed

11 in equal numbers from the two leading political parties,
12 for each grade of assistant, and shall be assigned to the
13 various assessment districts so that the assistant assess-
14 ors assigned to any district shall equally represent such
15 parties. No one shall be appointed an assistant assessor
16 under this act unless he has received the written endorse-
17 ment for this appointment of the president of the city
18 committee of the political party in said city, of which
19 the appointee claims to be a member."

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its pas-
2 sage.

