

By Mr. Brownell of Quincy, petition of Thomas F. Brownell relative to the appointment of a chief clerk and deputy assistants to the register of the Norfolk Division Probate and Family Court. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE APPOINTMENT OF A CHIEF CLERK AND DEPUTY ASSISTANTS TO REGISTER OF THE NORFOLK DIVISION PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT.

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 217 of the Tercentenary Edition is hereby amended by
2 adding the following Section 29C:—
3 *Section 29C.* The Register for Norfolk County may, with the
4 approval of the Judges of Probate for said County, appoint a Chief
5 Clerk who may administer such oaths required in Probate proceed-
6 ings as are not prescribed by law to be administered by the Judge or
7 Register, and shall perform such clerical and other duties as may be
8 required by the Register, with the approval of the Judges, and he
9 may be removed by the Register with the consent and approval of
10 the Judges in the manner provided by Sections forty-one to forty-
11 five, inclusive, of Chapter thirty-one. Said Register may, with the
12 approval of the Judges, designate four employees as Deputy As-
13 sistant Registers with the same powers as Assistant Registers and
14 may revoke any such designation at pleasure. Said Deputy Assist-
15 ant Registers shall receive a salary of six thousand dollars.

