

By Mrs. Metayer of Braintree, petition of Elizabeth N. Metayer and another that provision be made for expeditious settlements of certain matters before the civil courts involving persons sixty-five years of age or over. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITIOUS SETTLEMENT OF CERTAIN MATTERS
BEFORE THE CIVIL COURTS.

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

1 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, all
2 civil suits in which the claimant and/or defendant is sixty-five years
3 of age or older must receive a hearing within three years of the date
4 of the filing of such suit.

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The Committee on Education

Report on the Education of the Deaf

1. For the purpose of providing a more complete and efficient system of education for the deaf, the following course is recommended:

2. The course should be divided into three main branches: (a) general education, (b) manual training, and (c) vocational training.

3. The general education should be given for a period of not less than four years, and should include the study of the English language, history, geography, and the sciences.