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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 12, 1919.

The committee on Election Laws, to whom was referred the annual report of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of the number of assessed polls, registered voters and persons who voted in the 1918 primaries and elections, with recommendations relative to the election laws (abstract of Pub. Doc. No. 43), report the accompanying bill.

For the committee,

DAVID J. MALONEY.

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen.

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### AN ACT

Relative to the Publication of Lists of Candidates to be voted for at City Elections.

*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 eight hundred and thirty-five of the acts of  
2 nineteen hundred and thirteen is hereby amended by  
3 striking out section two hundred and sixty-nine and  
4 substituting the following:— *Section 269.* The city  
5 clerks, in Boston the election commissioners, before every  
6 city election shall cause to be published a list of all  
7 candidates to be voted for in their respective cities.  
8 Such lists shall be in the form, as near as may be, in  
9 which they are to appear upon the official ballot, and  
10 the publication shall be made in at least two newspapers,  
11 designated by the chairmen representing the two leading  
12 political parties, if there are so many in the city, de-  
13 voted wholly or chiefly to the publication of general or  
14 local news.



