

By Mr. Saggese of Winthrop, petition of Alfred L. Podolski, Alfred E. Saggese, Jr., and others for legislation to clarify the wage assignment law in certain court actions. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty.

AN ACT CLARIFYING THE WAGE ASSIGNMENT LAW, SO CALLED.

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 second paragraph of section 36 of chapter
2 208 of the General Laws, as inserted by section 1 of chapter 522 of
3 the acts of 1979, is hereby amended by inserting the following
4 sentence after the first sentence thereof: — Said wage assignment
5 may be ordered upon the motion of any party during the pendency
6 of an action for divorce, modification or contempt; or upon the
7 request of any party in a complaint for modification or contempt;
8 or upon the court's own motion.

1 SECTION 2. Section 32E of chapter 209 of the General Laws,
2 as most recently amended by section 2 of chapter 522 of the acts of
3 1979, is hereby further amended by inserting the following sentence
4 after the first sentence thereof: — Said wage assignment may be
5 ordered upon the motion of any party during the pendency of an
6 action for divorce, modification or contempt; or upon the request
7 of any party in a complaint for modification or contempt; or upon
8 the court's own motion.

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