

By Mr. Power of Winthrop, petition of Edgar F. Power that the town of Winthrop be authorized to establish a reserve force in its police department. Towns. Dec. 22, 1927.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-Eight.

An Act providing for the Establishment of a Reserve Police Force in the Town of Winthrop.

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 town of Winthrop may establish
2 a reserve police force consisting of not more than
3 five members and appointments thereto shall, sub-
4 ject to chapter thirty-one of the General Laws, be
5 made in the same manner as appointments to the
6 regular police force of said town. The chief of
7 police of said town may assign the members of such
8 reserve force to duty in said town whenever and
9 for such length of time as said chief of police may
10 deem necessary; and when on duty the members of
11 said reserve force shall have all the powers and
12 duties of members of the regular police force of
13 said town. The compensation of the members of
14 said reserve force shall be fixed by the board of
15 selectmen.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its ac-
2 ceptance by vote of a majority of the registered
3 voters of said town of Winthrop present and voting
4 at an annual or special town meeting.

