

HOUSE No. 550

Bill accompanying the petition of Patrick J. Curley relative to the transfer of the members of the District Police to the employment of the State Board of Labor and Industries. Public Service. January 13.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifteen.

AN ACT

Relative to the transfer of Members of the District Police to the employment of the State Board of Labor and Industries.

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. Section eight of chapter seven hundred
2 and twenty-six of the acts of the year nineteen hundred
3 and twelve as amended by section eight of chapter eight
4 hundred and thirteen of the acts of the year nineteen
5 hundred and thirteen is hereby further amended by in-
6 serting after the word "of" in the twenty-third line, of
7 the first paragraph the words:— salary or— so as to
8 read as follows:—

9 Section 2. The board shall have power to appoint
10 and remove industrial health inspectors, industrial in-
11 spectors, assistant industrial inspectors, and necessary

12 clerical assistants, subject to the laws of the common-
13 wealth relating to the appointment and removal of
14 employees in the classified civil service. The total num-
15 ber of industrial health inspectors, industrial inspectors,
16 and assistant industrial inspectors shall not exceed
17 twenty-four, of whom at least four shall be women.
18 The state civil service commissioners shall prepare rules,
19 subject to the approval of the governor and council, for
20 including in the classified service all industrial health
21 inspectors, industrial inspectors, assistant industrial
22 inspectors, and clerical assistants. These rules shall
23 provide that candidates for appointment shall pass an
24 examination of a comprehensive and practical character
25 based upon the particular requirements of the kind of
26 work to be done: *provided*, that persons employed at
27 the time when this act takes effect as inspectors of fac-
28 tories and public buildings in the inspection department
29 of the district police and not retained in said department
30 as provided in section twelve of this act, shall be trans-
31 ferred without such special examination, and without
32 regard to age, to serve as industrial inspectors. Such
33 transfer shall not affect any rights of salary or retirement
34 with pension that shall have accrued at the date when it
35 is made, or would thereafter accrue to an inspector so
36 transferred, but all such rights shall be retained by any
37 inspector as if he had remained a district police officer.
38 Industrial health inspectors shall be persons admitted to
39 practice medicine in this commonwealth, or persons
40 especially qualified by technical education in matters
41 relating to health and sanitation.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its pass-
2 age, and shall apply to members of the District Police,
3 heretofore or hereafter transferred.

