

HOUSE No. 567

By Mr. Businger of Brookline, petition of John A. Businger for a legislative amendment to the Constitution relative to reducing the residency requirement for a candidate for Governor. Election Laws.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

PROPOSAL FOR A LEGISLATIVE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION REDUCING THE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT FOR A CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR.

1 A majority of all the members elected to the Senate and House of
2 Representatives, in joint session, hereby declares it to be expedient
3 to alter the Constitution by the adoption of the following Article of
4 Amendment, to the end that it may become a part of the Constitu-
5 tion [if similarly agreed to in a joint session of the next General
6 Court and approved by the people at the state election next follow-
7 ing]:

ARTICLE OF AMENDMENT.

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9 ART. . . Article II of section 1 of chapter II is hereby amended
10 by striking out the word "seven" and inserting in place thereof the
11 word: — one.

