

HOUSE No. 3370

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 1, 1962.

The committee on Civil Service, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1932) of the Massachusetts State Council #41 AFSC&ME AFL:CIO for legislation to clarify further the civil service laws with respect to competitive promotional examinations in the labor service, report the accompanying bill (House, No. 3370).

For the committee,

DONALD J. MANNING.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Two.

AN ACT TO FURTHER CLARIFY THE CIVIL SERVICE LAWS RELATIVE TO COMPETITIVE PROMOTIONAL EXAMINATIONS TO THOSE EMPLOYEES OF THE LABOR SERVICE.

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 31 of the General Laws, as most recently amended
2 by chapter 51 of the acts of 1958, is hereby amended by striking
3 out section 15B and inserting in place thereof the following sec-
4 tion:—

5 *Section 15B.* An employee in the classified civil service of a
6 department may, upon requisition made by the appointing offi-
7 cer and in accordance with this chapter and the rules made
8 thereunder, be appointed or promoted to a position in the lowest
9 grade, as determined by the director, of the official service of
10 such department upon certification from an eligible list estab-
11 lished as a result of an examination open only to permanent em-
12 ployees in the classified civil service of such department who
13 have been employed therein, after certification, for at least one
14 year. The word “department”, as used in this section, shall
15 mean a department, board or commission, or any division, insti-
16 tutional unit or other unit of a department in case such a unit
17 is established by law, ordinance or by-law or under authority
18 thereof.