SENATE . . . . . No. 1246

By Mr. Wall, a petition of William X. Wall for legislation to provide for the reinstatement of John J. Sawtelle as a member in service of the state employees' retirement system. Public Service.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE REINSTATEMENT OF JOHN J. SAWTELLE AS A MEMBER IN SERVICE OF THE STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

- 1 Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to
- 2 defeat its purpose, which is immediately to authorize John J.
- 3 Sawtelle, an employee of the general court, to apply for re-
- 4 tirement under the state employees' retirement system, it is
- 5 hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the
- 6 immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary,
- 2 John J. Sawtelle, an employee of the general court, is hereby
- 3 reinstated as a member in service of the state employees'
- 4 retirement system and shall be allowed to establish credit for
- 5 all of his service in the employ of the commonwealth; pro-
- 6 vided, that he pays into the annuity savings fund of said sys-7 tem such amount as the state retirement board may determine
- 8 as being equal to that which he would have paid into said
- 9 fund had he been a member in service of said system during
- 10 all of the years of his service in the employ of the common-
- 11 wealth, with interest thereon. Upon compliance with the
- 12 aforesaid provision, said John J. Sawtelle may apply for re-
- 13 tirement under the state employees' retirement system.