

HOUSE No. 4854

By Mr. O'Flaherty of Chelsea, petition of Eugene L. O'Flaherty that Edward Grace of the city of Boston be authorized to take open competitive examinations for the positions of police officer or fire fighter in the Commonwealth, notwithstanding the maximum age requirements. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Eight.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING EDWARD GRACE TO TAKE THE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

1 *Whereas*, the deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat
2 its purpose, which is to forthwith to allow Edward Grace to take
3 the police and firefighters examinations, therefore it is hereby
4 declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate
5 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 Chapter 31 of the General Laws or any other
2 general or special law, rule or regulation to the contrary regulating
3 the maximum age of applicants for appointment Edward Grace of
4 the city of Boston shall be eligible to take the next open competi-
5 tive examinations for appointment as a police officer and/or fire-
6 fighter and if he meets all other requirements he shall be eligible
7 for certification and appointment as a police officer and/or fire-
8 fighter.