

Chapter 216

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

In the Year Two Thousand and Eight

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN MARRIAGE LAWS.

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is forthwith to repeal certain laws prohibiting certain non-residents from marrying in the commonwealth, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the 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:

SECTION 1. Sections 11, 12 and 13 of chapter 207 of the General Laws are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. Section 50 of said chapter 207 is hereby repealed.

Preamble adopted, House of Representatives, July 29, 2008. Speaker.

Preamble adopted, In Senate, July 30, 2008. President.

Bill passed to be enacted, House of Representatives, July 30, 2008. Speaker.

Bill passed to be enacted, In Senate, July 30, 2008. President.

31 July, 2008. Approved,

at 12 o'clock and 20 minutes P. M. Governor.

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