

Offered by Councilor Andrea J. Campbell



CITY OF BOSTON

IN THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND NINETEEN

HOME RULE PETITION

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article II, as amended, of the Articles of Amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only:

**PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:
AN ACT RELATIVE TO ELECTION PROCEDURES IN THE CITY OF BOSTON**

Section 1. Section 54 of chapter 452 of the acts of 1948 as most recently amended by section 2.54 of chapter 376 of the acts of 1951, is hereby amended by adding the following:-
Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, any individual duly qualified to be a candidate for an elective office shall not be a candidate for nomination for two such elective offices at the same municipal election.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Section 3. If any of the above sections are determined to not be constitutional under the law, the remainder of the provisions shall remain valid.

Filed in Council: February 6, 2019