

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2378**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand Nine**  
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An Act relative to creditable service for teachers in charter schools..

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

1           Subsection (l) of section 4 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as most recently amended  
2 by section 1 of chapter 161 of the acts of 2006, is hereby further amended by inserting after  
3 paragraph (p) the following paragraph:-

4           (p1/2) Any member of a contributory retirement system who is engaged in a teaching  
5 position and holds a certificate issued by the department of education or is exempted from the  
6 requirement of certification and who was previously engaged in teaching pupils in any charter  
7 school in the commonwealth may establish credit for such service by depositing in the Annuity  
8 Savings Fund of the system of which he is a member a sum equal to the amount which would  
9 have been paid into such fund during such period if such position has been compensated at the  
10 rate of \$2500 per year, plus regular interest to the date of payment.