

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4199**

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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 the health insurance of retired employees of the City of Somerville..

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

1           SECTION 1. Notwithstanding Section 9E Chapter 32B of the General Laws or any  
2 other general or special law to the contrary, an employee who has retired and is not eligible for  
3 Medicare Part B benefits shall be entitled to apply to the City of Somerville for a reduced rate of  
4 contribution for group health insurance plans offered by the City of Somerville. The manner by  
5 which the reduced rate is offered, the amount of said reduced rate, and eligibility therefore shall  
6 be determined by the mayor of the said City of Somerville and shall be based upon income.

7           SECTION 2. This act will take effect upon passage.