

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3145**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Paul W. Mark***

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

**An Act Relative to Military Service.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Paul W. Mark</i>	<i>2nd Berkshire</i>	<i>1/16/2015</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>	<i>12/19/2019</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>	<i>12/19/2019</i>
<i>Stephen Kulik</i>	<i>1st Franklin</i>	<i>12/19/2019</i>
<i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i>	<i>28th Middlesex</i>	<i>12/19/2019</i>

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By Mr. Mark of Peru, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3145) of Paul W. Mark and others relative to the definition of the word “veteran”. Veterans and Federal Affairs.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act Relative to Military Service.

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

1 Chapter 4 of the General Laws, in section 7, forty-third clause, is hereby amended by  
2 striking out part 3 and inserting in place thereof the following: (3) any person (a) whose last  
3 discharge from active service was under honorable conditions, and who (b) served in the army,  
4 navy, marine corps, coast guard, national guard, or air force of the United States.