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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*David Paul Linsky and Karen E. Spilka*

*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 public safety employee death benefits.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>David Paul Linsky</i>	<i>5th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/6/2015</i>
<i>Karen E. Spilka</i>	<i>Second Middlesex and Norfolk</i>	<i>2/6/2015</i>

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By Representative Linsky of Natick and Senator Spilka, a joint petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of David Paul Linsky and Karen E. Spilka for legislation to include public works employees for killed-in-the-line-of-duty benefits. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to public safety employee death benefits.

*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: Section 100A of chapter 32 of the General Laws is hereby amended by  
2 inserting after the words “correction officer” in line 19 , as appearing in the 2012 Official  
3 Edition, the words “and Department of Public Works employee”.

4           SECTION 2: This act shall take effect as of January 1, 2016.