

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1402**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Michael O. Moore***

*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 providing for an early retirement incentive for state employees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>
<i>Mary S. Keefe</i>	<i>15th Worcester</i>

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By Mr. Moore, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1402) of Michael O. Moore, Brian M. Ashe, Bruce E. Tarr, Paul K. Frost and others for legislation to provide for an early retirement incentive for state employees. Public Service.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1256 OF 2013-2014.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act providing for an early retirement incentive for state employees.

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

1           Notwithstanding the provisions of chapter 32 of the Massachusetts General Laws or any  
2 other general or special law to the contrary, the state board of retirement shall establish and  
3 implement a retirement incentive for public employees in Group 1 and Group 2. Each employee  
4 eligible shall request and receive a combination of years creditable service and years of age, the  
5 sum of which shall not be greater than five years of creditable service and years of age, provided  
6 said employee shall retire within twelve months of the date of enactment of this section.