

SENATE No. 1397

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sal N. DiDomenico

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 establishing creditable service for veterans.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>	
<i>Thomas M. McGee</i>	<i>Third Essex</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>Mike Connolly</i>	<i>26th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1397) of Sal N. DiDomenico, Thomas M. McGee and Mike Connolly for legislation to establish credible service for veterans. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 1342 OF 2015-2016.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act establishing creditable service for veterans.

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 46 of chapter 30 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after subsection 1B the following section:-

3 (1C) An employee with 7 years of creditable service who is a veteran, as defined by the
4 forty-third clause of section 7 of chapter 4, shall upon the employee’s seventh anniversary of
5 hire, be advanced to the maximum step in the employee’s job group.

6 SECTION 2. Any employee who, as of the effective date of this act, satisfies the
7 requirements of subsection 1C of section 46 of chapter 30 of the General Laws shall immediately
8 be advanced to the maximum step in the employee’s job group.