

HOUSE No. 3216

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kevin G. Honan

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 treating veterans under the pension laws.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Kevin G. Honan</i>	<i>17th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/17/2019</i>

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By Mr. Honan of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3216) of Kevin G. Honan relative to employment benefits for certain veterans. Veterans and Federal Affairs.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act relative to treating veterans under the pension laws.

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 section 9A of chapter 30 of the General Laws, or any other general or
2 special law to the contrary, the rights afforded to a veteran, under said section 9A of said chapter
3 30, shall also be afforded to any such veteran who holds a position of justice of the supreme
4 judicial court, justice of the appeals court or justice of the trial court as so provided in Chapter III
5 of Part the Second of the Constitution who has held that office or position for not less than 10
6 years.