

HOUSE No. 4631

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Tackey Chan

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 state employees performing core functions.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Tackey Chan</i> | <i>2nd Norfolk</i> | <i>3/23/2020</i> |
| <i>David Holway</i> | <i>National Association of Government Employees, 159 Burgin Parkway, Quincy, MA 02169</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Joanne M. Comerford</i> | <i>Hampshire, Franklin and Worcester</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>William L. Crocker, Jr.</i> | <i>2nd Barnstable</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Michael O. Moore</i> | <i>Second Worcester</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Jack Patrick Lewis</i> | <i>7th Middlesex</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Michael J. Finn</i> | <i>6th Hampden</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Gerard J. Cassidy</i> | <i>9th Plymouth</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Bruce J. Ayers</i> | <i>1st Norfolk</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Anne M. Gobi</i> | <i>Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>David Allen Robertson</i> | <i>19th Middlesex</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Steven Ultrino</i> | <i>33rd Middlesex</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Daniel Cahill</i> | <i>10th Essex</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Kevin G. Honan</i> | <i>17th Suffolk</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Jonathan D. Zlotnik</i> | <i>2nd Worcester</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |

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| <i>John C. Velis</i> | <i>4th Hampden</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>James J. O'Day</i> | <i>14th Worcester</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Patricia A. Haddad</i> | <i>5th Bristol</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Claire D. Cronin</i> | <i>11th Plymouth</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Josh S. Cutler</i> | <i>6th Plymouth</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Nika C. Elugardo</i> | <i>15th Suffolk</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>John H. Rogers</i> | <i>12th Norfolk</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Marcos A. Devers</i> | <i>16th Essex</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Daniel R. Carey</i> | <i>2nd Hampshire</i> | <i>3/25/2020</i> |
| <i>Bud L. Williams</i> | <i>11th Hampden</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i> | <i>12th Hampden</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>Michelle M. DuBois</i> | <i>10th Plymouth</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>F. Jay Barrows</i> | <i>1st Bristol</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf</i> | <i>17th Worcester</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>James M. Murphy</i> | <i>4th Norfolk</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>Ruth B. Balsler</i> | <i>12th Middlesex</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>James T. Welch</i> | <i>Hampden</i> | <i>3/26/2020</i> |
| <i>Natalie M. Higgins</i> | <i>4th Worcester</i> | <i>3/27/2020</i> |
| <i>Peter Capano</i> | <i>11th Essex</i> | <i>3/27/2020</i> |
| <i>Natalie M. Blais</i> | <i>1st Franklin</i> | <i>3/27/2020</i> |
| <i>Paul McMurtry</i> | <i>11th Norfolk</i> | <i>3/28/2020</i> |
| <i>David Biele</i> | <i>4th Suffolk</i> | <i>3/28/2020</i> |
| <i>Patrick Joseph Kearney</i> | <i>4th Plymouth</i> | <i>3/29/2020</i> |
| <i>David T. Vieira</i> | <i>3rd Barnstable</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Walter F. Timilty</i> | <i>Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Marc R. Pacheco</i> | <i>First Plymouth and Bristol</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Daniel M. Donahue</i> | <i>16th Worcester</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Mark C. Montigny</i> | <i>Second Bristol and Plymouth</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Michael D. Brady</i> | <i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>James K. Hawkins</i> | <i>2nd Bristol</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Alan Silvia</i> | <i>7th Bristol</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Jay D. Livingstone</i> | <i>8th Suffolk</i> | <i>3/30/2020</i> |
| <i>Carole A. Fiola</i> | <i>6th Bristol</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Susannah M. Whipps</i> | <i>2nd Franklin</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Mike Connolly</i> | <i>26th Middlesex</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Diana DiZoglio</i> | <i>First Essex</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Mindy Domb</i> | <i>3rd Hampshire</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Liz Miranda</i> | <i>5th Suffolk</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i> | <i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |

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| <i>John Nelson</i> | <i>Massachusetts Coalition of Police, P.O. Box 768, Millbury, MA 01527</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Denise Provost</i> | <i>27th Middlesex</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Adrian C. Madaro</i> | <i>1st Suffolk</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Daniel J. Ryan</i> | <i>2nd Suffolk</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Brendan P. Crighton</i> | <i>Third Essex</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i> | <i>14th Bristol</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Nick Collins</i> | <i>First Suffolk</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Christina A. Minicucci</i> | <i>14th Essex</i> | <i>3/31/2020</i> |
| <i>Stephan Hay</i> | <i>3rd Worcester</i> | <i>4/1/2020</i> |
| <i>Sean Garballey</i> | <i>23rd Middlesex</i> | <i>4/2/2020</i> |

HOUSE No. 4631

By Mr. Chan of Quincy, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Tackey Chan and others relative to state employees performing core function during the Massachusetts state emergency related to COVID-19 emergency declaration. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to state employees performing core functions.

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. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, any employee
2 of the Commonwealth or its political subdivisions who was required to work during the
3 Massachusetts state emergency related to COVID 19 declared on March 11, and required to
4 report to a work location outside of their home, shall be compensated retroactively at a rate of
5 one and a half times their regular rate of pay for every day that they were required to report to
6 work for the duration of the state emergency, or in lieu of compensation an employee may, at
7 their discretion, receive one half day of compensatory leave for each day, or portion thereof
8 worked during the duration of the state emergency.

9 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.