

SENATE No. 1571

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Marc R. Pacheco

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 line of duty injury benefits for public employees.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | |
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| <i>Marc R. Pacheco</i> | <i>First Plymouth and Bristol</i> | |
| <i>James B. Eldridge</i> | <i>Middlesex and Worcester</i> | <i>1/31/2019</i> |

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By Mr. Pacheco, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1571) of Marc R. Pacheco and James B. Eldridge for legislation relative to line of duty injury benefits for public employees. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 1445 OF 2017-2018.]

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

An Act relative to line of duty injury benefits for public 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 SECTION 1. Section 58 of Chapter 30 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, in line 19, after the word “custody,” the
3 following words:- or receives bodily injuries from acts of violence by a civilian present on the
4 grounds of a correctional institution or state public health or human services facility;