

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Tommy Vitolo

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 timely retirement payment.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Tommy Vitolo	15th Norfolk	2/17/2021
Christopher Hendricks	11th Bristol	2/25/2021
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester	2/26/2021

By Mr. Vitolo of Brookline, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2792) of Tommy Vitolo, Christopher Hendricks and James B. Eldridge relative to timely retirement payments to retiring public employees. Public Service.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court (2021-2022)

An Act relative to timely retirement payment.

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. Paragraph (B) of subdivision (1) of Section 13 of Chapter 32 of the General
2	Laws shall be amended by adding the following after the words "allowance becomes effective.",
3	the following words: - "In the event circumstances beyond the retirement board's control
4	prevent the calculation of the full monthly payment by the first such full payment date, the
5	retirement board shall pay 90% of its estimated full monthly payment until such time as the
6	circumstances beyond the retirement board's control are corrected. On an annual basis, the
7	retirement board will notify the House and the Senate of all circumstances beyond the retirement
8	board's control that prevented the calculation of the full monthly payment by the first such full
9	payment date."