

HOUSE No. 3489

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kate Hogan

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 to expand veteran license plate eligibility.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Kate Hogan</i>	<i>3rd Middlesex</i>	<i>2/10/2021</i>
<i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i>	<i>8th Plymouth</i>	<i>2/25/2021</i>
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	<i>3/22/2021</i>

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By Ms. Hogan of Stow, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3489) of Kate Hogan, Angelo L. D'Emilia and Hannah Kane relative to the definition of veteran regarding eligibility for distinctive registration plates. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3044 OF 2019-2020.]

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

An Act to expand veteran license plate eligibility.

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. Clause 43 of section 7 of chapter 4 of the General Laws, as appearing in
2 the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the words “active service.” in line
3 336 the following:—

4 Any person who is entitled, under chapter 1223 of title 10, United States Code, as
5 amended from time to time, to retired pay for nonregular service or, but for age, would be
6 entitled under such chapter to retired pay for nonregular service, shall be honored as a veteran for
7 purposes of qualification for distinctive registration plates under section 2 of chapter 90 but shall
8 not be entitled to any other benefit by reason of this honor.