

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2382**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Bruce E. Tarr*

*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 modernizing the MBTA pension system.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Bruce E. Tarr*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*First Essex and Middlesex*

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By Mr. Tarr, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2382) of Bruce E. Tarr for legislation to modernize the MBTA Pension system. Transportation.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 2145 OF 2019-2020.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to modernizing the MBTA pension system.

*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 any general or special law to the contrary, there shall be special  
2           commission formed study and modernize the Massachusetts bay transportation system pension  
3           system. The commission shall include the secretary of transportation, a member from the union  
4           representing the Massachusetts bay transportation system appointed by the Governor, and three  
5           members with expertise in compensation in pension and retirement appointed by the governor.  
6           Said commission with examine the feasibility of moving the MBTA out of Social Security,  
7           creating a new group retirement for Massachusetts bay transportation employees, and  
8           transferring investment management to PRIM.

9           Said commission shall submit a report along with recommendations to the clerks of the  
10          house and senate and the joint committee on transportation by December 31, 2021.