

HOUSE No. 2526

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sean Garballey

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 defining employees in Group 2.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Sean Garballey</i> | <i>23rd Middlesex</i> | <i>1/20/2023</i> |
| <i>David T. Vieira</i> | <i>3rd Barnstable</i> | <i>10/10/2023</i> |

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By Representative Garballey of Arlington, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2526) of Sean Garballey relative to the retirement classification of certain court employees and other employees whose duty and responsibilities bring them in contact with criminal defendants. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act relative to defining employees in Group 2.

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. Chapter 32 of the General Laws as appearing in the 2002 Official Edition,
2 is hereby amended by inserting in section 3 (g), in line 242, after the word “hospital,” the
3 following new words:- “employees of the trial court of the Commonwealth who hold the position
4 of court service coordinator, assistant court service coordinator, chief housing specialist, housing
5 specialist, psychologist, court reporter, court interpreter, professional, clerical and other
6 employees whose duty and responsibilities bring them in contact with criminal defendants and
7 others whose court appearance is required.”