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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

### PRESENTED BY:

## Paul McMurtry and Michael F. Rush

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 the maximum age requirement for original appointment as a police officer for the town of Dedham.

### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk	6/8/2023
Michael F. Rush	Norfolk and Suffolk	6/8/2023

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By Representative McMurtry of Dedham and Senator Rush, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3910) of Paul McMurtry and Michael F. Rush (by vote of the town) relative to the maximum age requirement for original appointment as a police officer in the town of Dedham. Public Service. [Local Approval Received.]

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

An Act relative to the maximum age requirement for original appointment as a police officer for the town of Dedham.

*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. Notwithstanding sections 58 and 58A of the General Laws or any other

2 general or special law to the contrary, no person shall be eligible to have their name certified for

3 original appointment to the position of a police officer in the town of Dedham if such person has

4 reached their fortieth birthday on the date of the entrance examination under chapter 31 of the

5 General Laws. Any veteran shall be allowed to exceed the maximum age provision set forth

6 herein by the number of years served on active military duty, but in no case shall said candidate

- 7 for an appointment is credited more than four years of active military duty.
- 8 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage or take any other action relative9 thereto.