

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Edward F. Coppinger

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 increasing the minimum pension for public retirees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Edward F. Coppinger</i>	<i>10th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/26/2023</i>

HOUSE No.

By Representative Coppinger of Boston, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Edward F. Coppinger relative to increasing the minimum pension for public retirees. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2598 OF 2021-2022.]

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

An Act increasing the minimum pension for public retirees.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 32 is hereby amended by striking out section 90C¹/₂, as so appearing, and
2 inserting in place thereof the following section:-

3 Section 90C¹/₂. A state employee or member of the state teachers' retirement system who
4 has been retired under the provisions of this chapter or similar provision of earlier law on a
5 superannuation, accidental disability or ordinary disability retirement allowance and who has
6 completed at least 20 years of creditable service shall have his retirement allowance increased to
7 an amount not to exceed \$24,000; provided, however, that such allowance shall be subject to the
8 provisions of paragraph (e) of section 102.