

SENATE No. 955

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sal N. DiDomenico

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 providing for equity within the judicial branch.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Sal N. DiDomenico

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Middlesex and Suffolk

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 955) of Sal N. DiDomenico for legislation to provide for equity within the judicial branch. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act providing for equity within the judicial branch.

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 93 and 94 of chapter 221; section 6 of chapter
2 211A; sections 53, 58, and 79 of chapter 218; section 35A of chapter 217; section 14 of chapter
3 185 and section 9A of chapter 185C or any other general or special law or by-law to the contrary,
4 the salaries of the Clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court for the Commonwealth, the Clerk of the
5 of the Supreme Judicial Court for Suffolk County, the Clerk of the Appeals Court, the Clerks in
6 the Superior Court, the Clerk of the Superior Court for Criminal Business in the County of
7 Suffolk, the Clerk of the Superior Court for Civil Business in the County of Suffolk, the Clerks
8 of the Boston Municipal Court; the Clerks in the Juvenile Department; the Clerks in the District
9 Court Department; the Registers of the Probate and Family Court Department; the Recorder of
10 the Land Court Department; and the Clerks of the Housing Court Department shall be 84.57
11 percent of the salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court.

12 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2023.