

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2781**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Tackey Chan***

*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 Department of Youth Services.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>	<i>1/10/2025</i>
<i>David Holway</i>	<i>National Association of Government Employees, 159 Burgin Parkway, Quincy, MA 02169</i>	<i>1/10/2025</i>

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By Representative Chan of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2781) of Tackey Chan and David Holway relative to the retirement group of certain employees of the Department of Youth Services. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2463 OF 2023-2024.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act relative to the Department of Youth Services.

*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 3 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition, is  
2 hereby amended by inserting after the word “prisoners;” in line 275 the following words:-  
3 employees of the Department of Youth Services holding the position of Assistant Program  
4 Director (administrative officer 3), Program Director (administrative officer 4), or Casework  
5 Manager (administrative officer 4) who have been employed in such capacities for 10 years or  
6 more.