

HOUSE No. 2828

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Christopher Richard Flanagan

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 expanding the hiring radius for police departments.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Christopher Richard Flanagan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>	<i>1/15/2025</i>

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By Representative Flanagan of Dennis, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2828) of Christopher Richard Flanagan relative to residency requirements for certain police officers, firefighters and fire alarm division personnel. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3648 OF 2023-2024.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**

An Act relative to expanding the hiring radius for police departments.

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 99A of chapter 41 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2020 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 4, the word “fifteen” and inserting in place thereof the
- 3 following figure:- 40.