

HOUSE No. 5159

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Brian M. Ashe

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 authorizing the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement System to grant credible service to Sara Scibelli.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>	<i>5/13/2025</i>
<i>Jacob R. Oliveira</i>	<i>Hampden, Hampshire and Worcester</i>	<i>5/21/2025</i>

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By Representative Ashe of Longmeadow, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Brian M. Ashe for legislation to authorize the Massachusetts Teachers’ Retirement System to grant credible service to Sara Scibelli. Public Service.

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

An Act authorizing the Massachusetts Teachers’ Retirement System to grant credible service to Sara Scibelli.

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

1 Notwithstanding any general or special law, rule or regulation to the contrary, the
2 teachers’ retirement board shall credit Sara Scibelli, a member of the teachers’ retirement system
3 and an employee of the SABIS International Charter School in the city of Springfield, with
4 creditable service for the period of August 16, 2000 to August 15, 2002, inclusive, for the
5 purpose of determining her superannuation retirement allowance pursuant to paragraph (a) of
6 subdivision (2) of section 5 of chapter 32 of the General Laws. Before the date that any
7 retirement allowance becomes effective for Sara Scibelli, she shall pay into the annuity savings
8 fund of the teachers’ retirement system in 1 sum or installments, upon such terms and conditions
9 as the teachers’ retirement board may prescribe, an amount equal to that which would have been
10 withheld as regular deductions from her regular compensation for such previous service, plus
11 buyback interest, as defined in section 1 of said chapter 32.