

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

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr.***

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*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 cap on work hours for retirees.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr.</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>	<i>7/21/2025</i>

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By Representative Berthiaume of Spencer, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr., for legislation to increase the amount of hours that retired public employees may work for certain additional public service. Public Service.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act relative to the cap on work hours for 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           SECTION 1 Subsection (b) of section 91 of chapter 32 of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by striking the words “nine hundred and sixty hours” and inserting the following  
3 words:- fifteen hundred hours

4           SECTION 2. Subsection (c) of said section 91 of chapter 32 of the General Laws is  
5 hereby amended by striking the words “nine hundred and sixty” and inserting the following  
6 words:- fifteen hundred