

SENATE No. 1292

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Joanne M. Comerford

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 state employment postings.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Joanne M. Comerford

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Hampshire, Franklin and Worcester

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By Ms. Comerford, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1292) of Joanne M. Comerford for legislation relative to state employment postings. Labor and Workforce Development.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 1150 OF 2023-2024.]

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

An Act relative to state employment postings.

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 4J of chapter 7 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following
2 paragraph:-

3 Every agency and institution of the commonwealth shall transmit to the human resources
4 division all employment opportunities, notices and postings, excluding positions subject to
5 section 46D of chapter 30, chapter 31 and chapter 150E, including, but not limited to, notices of
6 job opportunities, new positions and vacancies. The division shall immediately place all such
7 information in the statewide employment computerized referral system. No position shall be
8 filled without full compliance with this paragraph.