

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1895**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Jacob R. Oliveira***

*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 providing equity and fairness to POST-certified police officers disabled by cardiac disease.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Jacob R. Oliveira</i>	<i>Hampden, Hampshire and Worcester</i>	
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>Worcester and Hampden</i>	<i>1/27/2025</i>
<i>Paul W. Mark</i>	<i>Berkshire, Hampden, Franklin and Hampshire</i>	<i>1/27/2025</i>
<i>Joanne M. Comerford</i>	<i>Hampshire, Franklin and Worcester</i>	<i>1/27/2025</i>
<i>John F. Keenan</i>	<i>Norfolk and Plymouth</i>	<i>1/30/2025</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>	<i>1/31/2025</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/4/2025</i>
<i>Adam Gómez</i>	<i>Hampden</i>	<i>2/12/2025</i>
<i>Barry R. Finegold</i>	<i>Second Essex and Middlesex</i>	<i>2/12/2025</i>
<i>Edward J. Kennedy</i>	<i>First Middlesex</i>	<i>2/12/2025</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Norfolk</i>	<i>2/13/2025</i>
<i>Steven George Xiarhos</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>	<i>2/20/2025</i>
<i>Peter J. Durant</i>	<i>Worcester and Hampshire</i>	<i>2/20/2025</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>	<i>2/20/2025</i>
<i>John C. Velis</i>	<i>Hampden and Hampshire</i>	<i>2/20/2025</i>
<i>Carmine Lawrence Gentile</i>	<i>13th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/24/2025</i>

<i>Joan B. Lovely</i>	<i>Second Essex</i>	<i>2/25/2025</i>
<i>John J. Marsi</i>	<i>6th Worcester</i>	<i>2/25/2025</i>
<i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i>	<i>First Plymouth and Norfolk</i>	<i>2/25/2025</i>
<i>Kenneth P. Swezey</i>	<i>6th Plymouth</i>	<i>2/27/2025</i>
<i>Adam J. Scanlon</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>	<i>2/27/2025</i>
<i>Manny Cruz</i>	<i>7th Essex</i>	<i>3/5/2025</i>
<i>Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr.</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>	<i>3/12/2025</i>
<i>Aaron L. Saunders</i>	<i>7th Hampden</i>	<i>3/24/2025</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>	<i>3/24/2025</i>
<i>Patrick Joseph Kearney</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>	<i>3/24/2025</i>
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	<i>4/3/2025</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	<i>4/3/2025</i>
<i>Lydia Edwards</i>	<i>Third Suffolk</i>	<i>4/16/2025</i>
<i>Paul R. Feeney</i>	<i>Bristol and Norfolk</i>	<i>4/29/2025</i>
<i>Kelly A. Dooner</i>	<i>Third Bristol and Plymouth</i>	<i>5/21/2025</i>
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>	<i>5/28/2025</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>	<i>6/17/2025</i>
<i>Nick Collins</i>	<i>First Suffolk</i>	<i>7/7/2025</i>
<i>John J. Cronin</i>	<i>Worcester and Middlesex</i>	<i>7/19/2025</i>

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By Mr. Oliveira, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1895) of Jacob R. Oliveira, Ryan C. Fattman, Paul W. Mark, Joanne M. Comerford and other members of the General Court for legislation to provide equity to police officers disabled by cardiac disease. Public Service.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1716 OF 2023-2024.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act providing equity and fairness to POST-certified police officers disabled by cardiac disease.

*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 94 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
2 inserting after the words “Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority”, the following words:-  
3           “or the police force of the University of Massachusetts, or of the police force of the  
4 Massachusetts Port Authority, or of the police forces of the state universities and community  
5 colleges, or of the office of environmental law enforcement of the Executive Office of  
6 Environmental Affairs, or the campus police of the Department of Mental Health,"