SENATE DOCKET, NO. 1163 FILED ON: 1/15/2025

SENATE . . . . . No. 1920

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John C. Velis

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 for a fair and equitable group 4 retirement benefit for police officers working on Massachusetts public higher education campuses.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
John C. Velis	*Hampden and Hampshire*	
Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.	*12th Hampden*	*1/16/2025*
Michael O. Moore	*Second Worcester*	*1/16/2025*
Hannah Kane	*11th Worcester*	*1/17/2025*
Kimberly N. Ferguson	*1st Worcester*	*1/23/2025*
Brian M. Ashe	*2nd Hampden*	*1/29/2025*
Paul K. Frost	*7th Worcester*	*1/29/2025*
Alyson M. Sullivan-Almeida	*7th Plymouth*	*2/11/2025*
John J. Marsi	*6th Worcester*	*2/14/2025*
Steven George Xiarhos	*5th Barnstable*	*2/18/2025*
Carmine Lawrence Gentile	*13th Middlesex*	*2/26/2025*
Brian W. Murray	*10th Worcester*	*2/26/2025*
John F. Keenan	*Norfolk and Plymouth*	*2/26/2025*
Joan B. Lovely	*Second Essex*	*2/26/2025*
Kenneth P. Sweezey	*6th Plymouth*	*2/28/2025*
Adam J. Scanlon	*14th Bristol*	*2/28/2025*
Manny Cruz	*7th Essex*	*3/5/2025*

Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr.	*5th Worcester*	*3/12/2025*
Patrick Joseph Kearney	*4th Plymouth*	*3/21/2025*
Bruce E. Tarr	*First Essex and Middlesex*	*4/3/2025*
Danillo A. Sena	*37th Middlesex*	*4/9/2025*
Patrick M. O'Connor	*First Plymouth and Norfolk*	*5/6/2025*
Michelle L. Badger	*1st Plymouth*	*6/16/2025*

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By Mr. Velis, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1920) of John C. Velis, Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr., Michael O. Moore, Hannah Kane and other members of the General Court for legislation to correct inequities regarding the retirement of state-employed and special authority-employed police officers. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. *1746* OF 2023-2024.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act providing for a fair and equitable group 4 retirement benefit for police officers working on Massachusetts public higher education campuses.

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

Section 3 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2018 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in line 297, after the word "Authority;" the following:- “any police officer employed at a Massachusetts state college, university, community college and the University of Massachusetts”.