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By Mr. Sullivan of Springfield, petition of William C. Sullivan that retirement credit be allowed under the teachers' retirement system for service teaching American dependent children outside the United States. Pensions and Old Age Assistance.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Nine.

AN ACT TO ALLOW CREDIT UNDER THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR SERVICE AS A TEACHER TEACHING AMERICAN DEPENDENT CHILDREN OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES.

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

1 Subdivision (4) of section 3 of chapter 32 of the General Laws,  
2 as most recently amended by section 2 of chapter 684 of the acts  
3 of 1954, is hereby further amended by adding at the end the fol-  
4 lowing paragraph: —

5 For the purpose of retirement under this chapter, the service  
6 of a teacher teaching American dependent children outside the  
7 United States shall be regarded under this subdivision as serv-  
8 ice in a public day school, and shall be allowed credit for such  
9 service as provided by this chapter upon payment of the re-  
10 quired amount of money into the annuity savings fund of the  
11 teachers' retirement system. Payments for such service shall  
12 be based upon the salaries such teachers would have received  
13 if they were teaching in this commonwealth.

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