

By Mr. Fallon of Clinton, petition of Thomas F. Fallon to place the clerk of the Second District Court of Eastern Worcester into Group 1 of the contributory retirement system. Public Service.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Eight.

AN ACT PLACING THE CLERK OF THE SECOND DISTRICT COURT OF EASTERN WORCESTER INTO GROUP 1 OF THE CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

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

1 Paragraph (g) of subdivision (2) of section 3 of chapter 32 of the  
2 General Laws, as most recently amended by section 83 of chapter  
3 706 of the acts of 1975, is hereby further amended by striking out  
4 the definition of group 1 and group 2 and inserting in place thereof  
5 the following definitions: —

6 *Group 1.* — Officials and general employees including clerical  
7 administrative and technical workers, laborers, mechanics, the  
8 clerk of the second district court of eastern Worcester, and all  
9 others not otherwise classified.

10 *Group 2.* — Public works building police; permanent watershed  
11 guards and permanent park police; University of Massachusetts  
12 police; employees of the Massachusetts Port Authority, com-  
13 prising guards, guard sergeants, head guard and chief of  
14 waterfront police; officials and employees of the department of  
15 public safety having police powers; employees of a municipal  
16 department who are employed as fire or police signal operators or  
17 signal maintenance repairmen; ambulance attendants of a  
18 municipal department who are required to respond to fires and  
19 perform duties assigned to them; employees of a city or town who  
20 are employed as licensed electricians and elevator maintenance  
21 men employed by a county; employees of the commonwealth or of  
22 any county, regardless of any official classification, except the  
23 clerk of the second district court of Eastern Worcester, and except

24 the sheriff, master, deputy master, assistant deputy master and  
 25 correction officers of county correctional facilities, whose regular  
 26 and major duties require them to have the care, custody,  
 27 instruction or other supervision of prisoners; and employees of the  
 28 commonwealth or of any county whose regular and major duties  
 29 require them to have the care, custody, instruction or other  
 30 supervision of parolees or persons who are mentally ill or mentally  
 31 defective or defective delinquents or wayward children; provided,  
 32 that no member who attains age sixty-five while classified in *Group*  
 33 *1* may thereafter be classified in *Group 2*, irrespective of change of  
 34 employment.