

SENATE . . . . . No. 1433

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By Mr. Shea, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1433) of Philip L. Shea for legislation to provide for the inclusion of certain military service as creditable service under the contributory retirement law. Public Service.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-three.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE INCLUSION OF CERTAIN MILITARY SERVICE IN THE COMPUTATION OF THE CREDITABLE SERVICE OF CERTAIN PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR RETIREMENT PURPOSES.

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

1 Notwithstanding any general or special law, rule or regu-  
2 lation to the contrary, but otherwise in accordance to exist-  
3 ing applicable law, rules and regulations, and for retirement  
4 purposes only, any veteran who belongs to any contributory  
5 retirement system of the commonwealth, except such vet-  
6 erans as may be hereinafter excluded or limited, shall be  
7 allowed equivalent state, county, city, town or other in-  
8 cludable public service for an equivalent period of military  
9 service of up to forty-eight months on a "buy back" basis at  
10 a sum to be determined on current applicable retirement  
11 board rates and regulations.

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