

HOUSE No. 3280

By Mr. Giordano of Methuen, petition of the Massachusetts Police Association and Larry F. Giordano relative to the retirement rights of certain public employees. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Two.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT OF CERTAIN PERSONS.

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 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the
2 contrary, any police officer or fire fighter classified in Group 4
3 of the Contributory Retirement System, as such group is defined
4 in subparagraph (g) of paragraph (2) of Section 3 of Chapter 32
5 of the General Laws, who has been in continuous employment
6 prior to January 1, 1975, and who has completed twenty-five years
7 of creditable service, shall be eligible, regardless of age, to apply
8 for, and receive a superannuation retirement allowance equal to
9 four-fifths ($4/5$) of the average annual rate of regular
10 compensation during any period of three consecutive years of
11 creditable service for which such rate of compensation was
12 highest.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect in any city or town, by
2 a vote of the City Council in cities with a Plan D or Plan E Charter,
3 or in a town by a vote of the Town Meeting.

