

By Mr. Ciccarelli of Watertown, petition of Salvatore Ciccarelli for legislation to reclassify probation officers in the contributory retirement system. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RECLASSIFYING PROBATION OFFICERS IN 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 SECTION 1. Paragraph (g) of subdivision (2) of section 3 of
2 chapter 32 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by
3 chapter 613 of the acts of 1983, is hereby further amended by
4 striking out the definition of Group 2 and inserting in place thereof
5 the following definition: —

6 *Group 2.* Public works building police, permanent watershed
7 guards and permanent park police, University of Massachusetts
8 police, employees of the Massachusetts Port Authority, compris-
9 ing guards, guard sergeants, head guard and chief of waterfront
10 police, officials and employees of the department of public safety
11 having police powers, employees of a municipal department who
12 are employed as fire or police signal operators or signal mainte-
13 nance repairmen, ambulance attendants of a municipal depart-
14 ment who are required to respond to fires and perform duties
15 assigned to them, employees of a city or town who are employed as
16 licensed electricians and elevator maintenance men employed by a
17 county; employees of Cushing Hospital; employees of the com-
18 monwealth or of any county, regardless of any official classifi-
19 cation, except the sheriff, superintendent, deputy superintendent,
20 assistant deputy superintendent and correction officers of county
21 correctional facilities, whose regular and major duties require them
22 to have the care, custody, instruction or other supervision of

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

1 SECTION 2. Said paragraph (g) of said subdivision (2) of said
2 section 3 of said chapter 32, as most recently amended by said
3 chapter 613, is hereby further amended by striking out the defini-
4 tion of Group 4 and inserting in place thereof the following
5 definition: —

6 *Group 4.* Division of law enforcement of the department of
7 fisheries, wildlife and recreational vehicles; officials and employees
8 of the registry of motor vehicles appointed by the registrar under
9 section twenty-nine of chapter ninety; capitol police, members of
10 the state police detectives appointed under section six of chapter
11 twenty-two, serving in any division of the department of public
12 safety; members of the police force of the metropolitan district
13 commission; employees of the Massachusetts Port Authority at the
14 General Edward Lawrence Logan International Airport, com-
15 prising permanent crash crewmen, fire control men, assistant fire
16 control men; members of police and fire departments not classified
17 in Group 1, any police officer of the Massachusetts Bay Transpor-
18 tation Authority; employees whose regular compensation is paid
19 by the United States from funds allocated to the Massachusetts
20 National Guard and who are regularly and permanently employed
21 under the control of the military department of the commonwealth
22 and whose duties in such employment require substantially all
23 normal working hours and whose continued employment is based
24 upon federal recognition in the Massachusetts National Guard;
25 employees of a municipal gas or electric generating or distribution
26 plant who are employed as linemen, electric switchboard opera-
27 tors, electric maintenance men, steam engineers, boiler operators,
28 firemen, oilers, mechanical maintenance men, and supervisors of

29 said employees; employees of the department of correction who
30 are employed at any correctional institution or prison camp under
31 the control of said department and who hold the position of
32 correction officer, female correction officer, industrial instructor,
33 recreation officer, assistant industrial shop manager, industrial
34 shop manager, assistant to the supervisor of industries, supervisor
35 of industries, senior correction officer, senior female correction
36 officer, supervising correction officer, supervising female correc-
37 tion officer, prison camp officer, senior prison camp officer,
38 supervising prison camp officer, assistant deputy superintendent;
39 employees of the parole board who hold the position of parole
40 officer or parole supervisor; chief of security for the University of
41 Massachusetts medical school or supervising identification agent;
42 employees who hold the position of state hospital steward in the
43 department of correction; the sheriff, superintendent, assistant
44 superintendent, assistant deputy superintendent and correction
45 officers of county correctional facilities; the chief fire warden and
46 district fire wardens in the executive office of environmental affairs;
47 and probation officers of any court of the commonwealth.

