

By Mr. Thompson of Cambridge, petition of Alvin E. Thompson for legislation relative to the compensation of tenured principals. Education, Arts and Humanities.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO TENURED PRINCIPALS.

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

- 1 Any tenured principal with proven expertise, demoted without
2 charge, or cause, or any demonstrable benefit to the public wel-
3 fare, to preserve his tenured, vested retirement interests, shall not
4 suffer any reduction in salary.
- 5 Salary reduction in such circumstances shall be deemed capri-
6 cious and ethically intolerable on its face, and the matter shall be
7 resolved simply by restoring rightful, misappropriated salary.
- 8 By restoring the amount due the State Teachers' Retirement
9 Board, the entitled base rate of vested retirement monies shall be
10 refunded.
- 11 By this action, under statute, any unresolved grievance related
12 to such occurrence shall be considered resolved.

