

# SENATE . . . . . No. 1309

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By Mr. Morrissey, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1309) of Michael W. Morrissey and A. Stephen Tobin for legislation to provide for an early retirement incentive program for certain employees of Norfolk County Public Service.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EARLY RETIREMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF NORFOLK COUNTY.

*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 provisions of chapter 32 or any other  
2 general or special law, rule or regulation to the contrary, the  
3 normal yearly amount of the retirement allowance for those  
4 employed at the Norfolk County Respiratory Hospital, having  
5 been terminated on or before the 19th of February, 1998 and who  
6 have paid into the full amount of regular deductions on the total  
7 amount of regular compensation as determined under  
8 paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section five of said chapter 32,  
9 shall be based on the average annual rate of regular compensation  
10 as determined under said paragraph (a) based on the age of such  
11 member and his number of years and full months of creditable  
12 service at the time of his retirement increased by up to five years  
13 of age or by five years of creditable service or by a combination  
14 of additional years of age and service the sum of which shall not  
15 be greater than five.

16 For the purpose of this act words shall have the same meanings  
17 as in said chapter 32, unless otherwise expressly provided.

18 Anyone who retires and receives an additional benefit in accor-  
19 dance with the provisions of this section shall be deemed to be  
20 retired for superannuation under the provisions of said chapter 32  
21 and shall be so subject to any and all provisions of said  
22 chapter 32.

23 Anyone who wishes to receive the additional benefits provided  
 24 for under this act, shall make written notification of their intent to  
 25 the Norfolk County Retirement Board within 30 days of this act  
 26 being signed into law and shall be deemed retired no later than 60  
 27 days after the act is signed into law.