

HOUSE No. 2003

By Mr. Linsky of Natick, petition of David Paul Linsky, Anthony J. Verga, Michael E. Festa and Benjamin Swan that the Board of Bar Overseers be prohibited from assessing an annual registration fee for attorneys who retire from the practice of law. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and One.

AN ACT REGULATING FEES FOR THE REGISTRATION OF ATTORNEYS.

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

1 Chapter 211 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding
2 the following section:—

3 Section 29. The Board of Bar Overseers shall not assess an
4 annual registration fee for attorneys who retire from the practice
5 of law, sitting judges, clerk-magistrates, as defined in Canon 1 of
6 Supreme Judicial Court Rule 3:12, Federal clerks of court, chief
7 deputy clerks and deputy clerks, members and employees of the
8 General Court, District Attorneys and their assistants, the Attorney
9 General and his assistants, attorneys employed by the Committee
10 for Public Counsel Services, and attorneys employed by the
11 Commonwealth of Massachusetts who do not otherwise engage
12 in the practice of law.

