

HOUSE No. 3075

By Mr. Honan of Boston, petition of Kevin G. Honan for legislation to regulate appeals before the Division of Administrative Law Appeals. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW APPEALS TO HEAR CERTAIN APPEALS.

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

1 The second paragraph of subdivision (4) of section 16 of
2 chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended by section 48 of
3 chapter 697 of the Acts of 1990, is hereby amended by striking
4 out in line 46 the fourth sentence and inserting in place thereof
5 the following two sentences: —

6 After the conclusion of such hearing, the division of
7 Administrative Law Appeals shall submit to the parties a written
8 decision which shall be final and binding upon the board involved
9 and upon all other parties, and shall be complied with by such
10 board and by such parties, unless within fifteen days after such
11 decision, 1) either party objects to such decision, in writing, to
12 the contributory retirement appeal board, or 2) the contributory
13 retirement appeal board orders, in writing, that said board shall
14 review such decision and take such further action as is appropriate
15 and consistent with the appeal provided by this section. The
16 contributory retirement appeal board shall then pass upon the
17 appeal within six months after the conclusion of such hearing, and
18 its decision shall be final and binding upon the board involved
19 and upon all other parties, and shall be complied with by such
20 board and by such parties.

