

By Mr. Costa of Adams, petition of Frank N. Costa relative to credit for certain service by elected officials under the contributory retirement law. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT MAKING CERTAIN CHANGES IN THE RETIREMENT LAWS FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS.

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. Section 4, subsection (1), subpart (a) of Chapter
2 32 is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph and inserting
3 the following: —

4 (1) QUALIFICATIONS FOR CREDIT FOR SERVICE. (a)
5 Any member in service shall, subject to the provisions and limita-
6 tions of sections one to twenty-eight inclusive, be credited with all
7 service rendered by him as an employee in any governmental unit
8 after becoming a member of the system pertaining thereto; pro-
9 vided that in no event shall he be credited with more than one year
10 of creditable service for all such service rendered during any one
11 calendar year.

1 SECTION 2. Section 3, subsection (2), subpart (vi) Chapter 32
2 is hereby amended by striking out the paragraph and inserting the
3 following: — (vi) Any person hereafter elected by popular vote to a
4 state, county or municipal office or position, provided such
5 elected official is regularly employed, as determined by the board,
6 as provided in paragraph (2) (b) of section four and in accordance
7 with sections one to twenty-eight, inclusive, if under age sixty-five
8 on the date of his election, who files with the board on a prescribed
9 form a written application for membership within ninety days after
10 the date of assuming office; provided that any elected official who
11 is a member at the passing of this section shall retain his member-
12 ship and shall remain a member upon re-election to said office or
13 any office which would otherwise entitle him to membership.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior be and he is authorized to issue the following order:

ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

WHEREAS the Secretary of the Interior has received from the Commissioner of the General Land Office a report of the progress of the survey of the public lands in the State of California;

AND WHEREAS it is the policy of the Government to dispose of the public lands as speedily as possible for the benefit of the people;

IT IS ORDERED that the Secretary of the Interior do and he is authorized to do all things necessary to carry out the purposes of this order;

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