

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 829

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By Mr. Navin of Marlborough, petition of The American Legion, Department of Massachusetts, Inc., and others for legislation to extend option rights to certain veterans retiring from public service. Pensions and Old Age Assistance.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Two.

### AN ACT EXTENDING OPTION RIGHTS TO CERTAIN VETERANS.

*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 2 of chapter 490 of the acts of 1961 is  
2 hereby amended by inserting after the word "Laws", in line 3,  
3 the following: — and shall have all the rights of a veteran at  
4 retirement as provided in section fifty-eight B of chapter thirty-  
5 two of the General Laws for a veteran retiring under the pro-  
6 visions of section fifty-eight of chapter thirty-two of the General  
7 Laws.

1 SECTION 2. This amendment shall take effect as of February  
2 first, nineteen hundred and sixty-one, as to veterans employed  
3 by the commonwealth or the metropolitan district commission,  
4 and shall take effect as to veterans employed by a county, city,  
5 town or district upon its acceptance prior to January first, nine-  
6 teen hundred and sixty-four, by a majority vote of the county  
7 commissioners, by the mayor, by majority vote of the select-  
8 men, or by majority vote of the prudential committee, as the  
9 case may be.

The Committee of Amendments

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