

HOUSE No. 986

By Ms. O'Brien of Hanover, petition of Janet W. O'Brien for legislation to grant retirement credit for teachers in service in overseas dependent schools of the United States, the Peace Corps and in the public schools of Puerto Rico. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CREDIT FOR SERVICE IN UNITED STATES OVERSEAS DEPENDENT SCHOOLS, PEACE CORPS AND IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF PUERTO RICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF RETIREMENT.

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 2nd paragraph of Subdivision 4, Section 3, Chapter 32 of
2 the General Laws, as appearing in the 1990 Official Edition is
3 hereby amended by inserting in line 488 after the word "United
4 State" the following: — service rendered as part of the Peace
5 Corps of the United States — and by striking out in lines 489,
6 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496 and 497 the words "provided,
7 that any credit to be allowed shall not exceed five years of the
8 maximum credit of ten years allowable for service in other states
9 as provided in this section; and provided further, in the case of
10 service rendered in such overseas dependent school, the member
11 was a member of the teachers' retirement system upon his entrance
12 into the service of the public schools in the Commonwealth
13 immediately upon the termination of his service in said overseas
14 dependent school".

