

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1515**

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Harold P. Naughton, Jr.***

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to achieving pay parity for Massachusetts trial court chief probation officers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Worcester</i>
<i>James M. Cantwell</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>
<i>Bruce J. Ayers</i>	<i>1st Norfolk</i>
<i>William Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>
<i>James M. Murphy</i>	<i>4th Norfolk</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>John C. Velis</i>	<i>4th Hampden</i>
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>
<i>Michael J. Finn</i>	<i>6th Hampden</i>
<i>Stephen L. DiNatale</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Michael F. Rush</i>	<i>Norfolk and Suffolk</i>
<i>Diana DiZoglio</i>	<i>14th Essex</i>
<i>Joan B. Lovely</i>	<i>Second Essex</i>
<i>David Paul Linsky</i>	<i>5th Middlesex</i>

<i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i>	<i>28th Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. O'Day</i>	<i>14th Worcester</i>
<i>Paul W. Mark</i>	<i>2nd Berkshire</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>
<i>John V. Fernandes</i>	<i>10th Worcester</i>
<i>David M. Nangle</i>	<i>17th Middlesex</i>
<i>Dennis A. Rosa</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>
<i>Benjamin B. Downing</i>	<i>Berkshire, Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden</i>
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>
<i>John F. Keenan</i>	<i>Norfolk and Plymouth</i>
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Louis L. Kafka</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>
<i>Gailanne M. Cariddi</i>	<i>1st Berkshire</i>
<i>James R. Miceli</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>
<i>Daniel J. Hunt</i>	<i>13th Suffolk</i>
<i>Robert F. Fennell</i>	<i>10th Essex</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>9th Plymouth</i>
<i>Kenneth J. Donnelly</i>	<i>Fourth Middlesex</i>
<i>Jennifer L. Flanagan</i>	<i>Worcester and Middlesex</i>
<i>Thomas M. McGee</i>	<i>Third Essex</i>
<i>Danielle W. Gregoire</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>
<i>Walter F. Timilty</i>	<i>7th Norfolk</i>
<i>Aaron Michlewitz</i>	<i>3rd Suffolk</i>
<i>Thomas A. Golden, Jr.</i>	<i>16th Middlesex</i>
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex</i>
<i>John J. Mahoney</i>	<i>13th Worcester</i>
<i>Garrett J. Bradley</i>	<i>3rd Plymouth</i>
<i>James T. Welch</i>	<i>Hampden</i>
<i>Daniel M. Donahue</i>	<i>16th Worcester</i>
<i>Mary S. Keefe</i>	<i>15th Worcester</i>
<i>Daniel Cullinane</i>	<i>12th Suffolk</i>
<i>Thomas P. Kennedy</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i>
<i>James Arciero</i>	<i>2nd Middlesex</i>
<i>John W. Scibak</i>	<i>2nd Hampshire</i>
<i>Edward F. Coppinger</i>	<i>10th Suffolk</i>

<i>Tricia Farley-Bouvier</i>	<i>3rd Berkshire</i>
<i>Paul J. Donato</i>	<i>35th Middlesex</i>
<i>Christopher M. Markey</i>	<i>9th Bristol</i>
<i>Peter V. Kocot</i>	<i>1st Hampshire</i>
<i>Antonio F. D. Cabral</i>	<i>13th Bristol</i>
<i>Paul Tucker</i>	<i>7th Essex</i>
<i>Jerald A. Parisella</i>	<i>6th Essex</i>
<i>Jonathan D. Zlotnik</i>	<i>2nd Worcester</i>
<i>F. Jay Barrows</i>	<i>1st Bristol</i>
<i>Nick Collins</i>	<i>4th Suffolk</i>
<i>Sal N. DiDomenico</i>	<i>Middlesex and Suffolk</i>

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By Mr. Naughton of Clinton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1515) of Harold P. Naughton, Jr. and others relative to the compensation of chief probation officers of the Trial Court. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3572 OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to achieving pay parity for Massachusetts trial court chief probation officers.

*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 99B of chapter 276 of the General Laws is hereby amended by  
2 striking the word “means.” in line 14 and inserting in place the following:

3 means; provided, however, that the salaries of the chief probation officers of the probate  
4 court shall be 81.57 per cent of the salary of the chief justice of said court. The salaries of the  
5 chief probation officers of the Boston municipal court shall be 81.57 per cent of the salary of the  
6 chief justice of said court. The salaries of the chief probation officers of the juvenile court shall  
7 be 81.57 per cent of the salary of the chief justice of said court. The salaries of the chief  
8 probation officers of the district court shall be 81.57 per cent of the salary of the chief justice of  
9 said court. The salaries of the chief probation officers of the superior court shall be 81.57 per  
10 cent of the chief justice of said court.