

HOUSE No. 2497

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul Kujawski

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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act pertaining to public safety.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Paul Kujawski

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

8th Worcester

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2632 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT PERTAINING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.

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. Chapter 48of the General Laws as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition is
2 hereby amended by adding the following new section; Section 42B. No person shall be eligible to be
3 appointed to the position of Fire Chief in any city, town or fire district within the Commonwealth
4 unless said candidate has been a uniformed member of the firefighting force of a fire department for
5 a minimum of ten years.