

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2535**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Paul J. Donato***

*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 employees of the Department of Fire Services.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                      | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:     |
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| <i>Paul J. Donato</i>      | <i>35th Middlesex</i> |
| <i>Paul McMurtry</i>       | <i>11th Norfolk</i>   |
| <i>Sarah K. Peake</i>      | <i>4th Barnstable</i> |
| <i>James J. Dwyer</i>      | <i>30th Middlesex</i> |
| <i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i>  | <i>8th Plymouth</i>   |
| <i>Paul A. Schmid, III</i> | <i>8th Bristol</i>    |

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By Mr. Donato of Medford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2535) of Paul J. Donato and others for legislation to place certain employees in the Department of Fire Services in Group 4 of the contributory retirement system for public employees. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2428 OF 2015-2016.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to employees of the Department of Fire Services.

*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 3 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
2   Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in line 330, after the word “affairs” the  
3   following words:- , full time employees of the department of fire services in the executive office  
4   of public safety and security, provided they have previously been full time members of a fire  
5   department of any city, town, fire district, Devens, the 104th Fighter Wing Fire Department or  
6   the Massachusetts Military Reservation Fire Department, for ten years of more, and had  
7   previously been classified in group 4.

8           SECTION 2. Section 3 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
9   Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in lines 331 and 332 after the word “marshal” in

10 each instance, the following words:- "deputy state fire marshal and the director of the training  
11 division"