

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2602**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Claire D. Cronin***

*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 defining further a legislative body.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Claire D. Cronin</i>	<i>11th Plymouth</i>	<i>2/18/2021</i>

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By Ms. Cronin of Easton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2602) of Claire D. Cronin for legislation to further define the term “legislative body” relative to retirement boards in cities and towns. Public Service.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2204 OF 2019-2020.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act defining further a legislative body.

*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 7 of Chapter 4 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2018  
2   Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding at the end of subsection Eighteenth B in the  
3   definition of “Legislative Body,” the following sentence:- The legislative body for retirement  
4   boards shall be the retirement board itself for those matters over which it has independent  
5   control.