

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4890**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Christopher Hendricks*

*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 directing the Bristol County Retirement Board to grant creditable service to Michael Cioper.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Christopher Hendricks</i>	<i>11th Bristol</i>	<i>5/9/2022</i>

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By Mr. Hendricks of New Bedford, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Christopher Hendricks (with the approval of the county commissioners) that the Bristol County Retirement Board grant creditable service to Michael Cioper. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act directing the Bristol County Retirement Board to grant creditable service to Michael Cioper.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           Notwithstanding any general or special law, rule, or regulation to the contrary, the Bristol  
2 County Retirement Board shall credit Michael Cioper, a member of the Bristol County  
3 Retirement System, with creditable service for the period April 3, 1989 to May 1, 2004,  
4 inclusive, for the purpose of determining his superannuation retirement allowance pursuant to  
5 paragraph (a) of subdivision (2) of section 5 of chapter 32 of the General Laws. Before the date  
6 that any retirement allowance becomes effective in the case of Michael Cioper, he shall pay into  
7 the annuity savings fund of the retirement system of the county in one (1) sum or installments,  
8 upon such terms and conditions as the board may prescribe, an amount equal to that which would  
9 have been withheld as regular deductions from his regular compensation for such previous  
10 service, plus buyback interest.