HOUSE No. 00715

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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to credible service for veterans..

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Harold P. Naughton, Jr.12th Worcester

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By Mr. Naughton, Jr. of Clinton, petition (accompanied by Bill, House, No. 00715) of Harold P. Naughton, Jr. relative to creditable service for veterans under the public employees retirement law. Joint Committee on Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE O HOUSE , NO. 2541 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to credible service for veterans..

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 32 Section (h), paragraph 1 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006
- 2 Official Edition is
- 3 herby amended by adding at the end thereof the following sentence:
- 4 Any member who is a Veteran, as defined in Section 1 of said Chapter 115 as amended, who
- 5 retired prior to
- 6 January 1996, may be granted credible service for service to the Commonwealth or any
- 7 municipality or county and

- 8 such service may be compensated in a manner deemed acceptable by the retirement system with
- 9 jurisdiction over
- 10 said retiree.