

HOUSE No. 00775

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Timothy R. Madden, (BY REQUEST)

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 the taxation of state pensions..

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Thomas C. Kenny

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

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By Mr. Timothy R. Madden of Nantucket (by request), petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 00775) of [petitioners] for legislation to impose an income tax on the pensions of retired public employees. Joint Committee on Revenue.

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to the taxation of state pensions..

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: The first paragraph of section 19 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing
2 on the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the second sentence the
3 following sentence:-

4 "The exemption from income taxes leveled under chapter 62 shall be applicable to the first
5 \$50,000 annually".

6 SECTION 2: This act shall take effect upon passage.