SENATE

. . No. 01361

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michael J. Rodrigues

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 further regulating certain public employees creditable retirement service time for active service in the armed forces..

PETITION OF:

Name:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Michael J. Rodrigues	First Bristol and Plymouth
David B. Sullivan	6th Bristol

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By Mr. Rodrigues, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1361) of Rodrigues and Sullivan for legislation to further regulate certain public employees creditable retirement service time for active service in the armed forces [Joint Committee on Public Service].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE

□ SENATE , NO. *1141* OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act further regulating certain public employees creditable retirement service time for active service in the armed forces..

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

- SECTION 1. Section 4 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended by section 6 of
- 2 chapter 116 of the acts of 2002, is further amended by adding the following sentences:- A local
- 3 legislative body may vote to allow the additional time period under this paragraph as needed for
- 4 any veteran who served in the armed forces of the United States. This shall also apply to any
- 5 member of the Massachusetts National Guard and Active Reserve personnel, both former and
- 6 present.