

SENATE No. 1365

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Anne M. Gobi

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 relative to the retirement of Mr. Kenneth Wheeler.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Anne M. Gobi

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and
Middlesex*

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By Ms. Gobi, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1365) of Anne M. Gobi for legislation relative to the retirement allowance of Kenneth Wheeler. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2344 OF 2013-2014.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**
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An Act relative to the retirement of Mr. Kenneth Wheeler.

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 the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, Kenneth
2 Wheeler, who is receiving a retirement allowance pursuant to sections 1 to 28 of Chapter 32 of
3 the General Laws and whose allowance was calculated pursuant to Option (C) of Chapter 12 of
4 said Chapter 32, shall be entitled to a recalculation of his retirement allowance based on an
5 updated mortality table adopted pursuant to Section 336 of Chapter 149 of the Acts of 2004, such
6 recalculation shall be made retroactively to date of when retirement allowance was originally
7 calculated provided that any system responsible for payment of the retirement allowance shall
8 pay to Kenneth Wheeler, in one lump sum, the difference between the amount paid and the
9 amount due under the recalculated retirement allowance. For purposes of this act, the state
10 teachers' and state employees' retirement systems shall be deemed to have accepted the
11 provisions of this act.