SENATE No. 1507

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sal N. DiDomenico

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 establishing creditable service for veterans.

PETITION OF:

NAME: Sal N. DiDomenico DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Middlesex and Suffolk

SENATE DOCKET, NO. 1139 FILED ON: 1/17/2019

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1507) of Sal N. DiDomenico for legislation to establish credible service for veterans. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 1397 OF 2017-2018.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court (2019-2020)

An Act establishing creditable 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. Section 46 of chapter 30 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016

2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after subsection 1B the following section:-

3 (1C) An employee with 7 years of creditable service who is a veteran, as defined by the

4 forty-third clause of section 7 of chapter 4, shall upon the employee's seventh anniversary of

5 hire, be advanced to the maximum step in the employee's job group.

- 6 SECTION 2. Any employee who, as of the effective date of this act, satisfies the
- 7 requirements of subsection 1C of section 46 of chapter 30 of the General Laws shall immediately

8 be advanced to the maximum step in the employee's job group.