

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2068**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***John F. Keenan***

*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 authorizing the city known as the Town of Braintree to continue the employment of Paul J. Shastany as chief of police.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*John F. Keenan*

*Norfolk and Plymouth*

*Mark J. Cusack*

*5th Norfolk*

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By Mr. Keenan, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2068) of John F. Keenan and Mark J. Cusack (with approval of the mayor and city council) for legislation to authorize the city known as the Town of Braintree to continue the employment of Paul J. Shastany as chief of police. Public Service. [Local Approval Received.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act authorizing the city known as the Town of Braintree to continue the employment of Paul J. Shastany as chief of police.

*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. Notwithstanding paragraphs (a) to (c), inclusive, of section 91 of chapter 32  
2 of the General Laws, Paul J. Shastany may serve as chief of police for the city known as the  
3 town of Braintree pursuant to section 97A of chapter 41 of the General Laws.

4           SECTION 2. The appointment of Paul J. Shastany is necessary due to the unique and  
5 extenuating circumstances at the Braintree Police Department that require Paul J. Shastany to  
6 continue his interim services.

7           SECTION 3. Paul J. Shastany shall not be subject to the limitations on hours worked or  
8 to the earnings restrictions provided in paragraph (b) of section 91 of chapter 32 of the General  
9 Laws.

10 SECTION 4. Paul J. Shastany shall not be deemed to have resumed active membership in  
11 a retirement system in the commonwealth and his service as chief of police for the city known as  
12 the town of Braintree shall not be counted as creditable service toward retirement. No deductions  
13 shall be made from the regular compensation of Paul J. Shastany pursuant to chapter 32 of the  
14 General Laws while he is employed as chief of police in accordance with all applicable laws.  
15 Paul J. Shastany shall not have his retirement allowance subject to modification as a result of  
16 earnings from his appointment as chief of police for the city known as the town of Braintree.

17 SECTION 5. Paul J. Shastany shall be subject to sections 100 and 111F of chapter 41 of  
18 the General Laws. Payments made pursuant to said section 111F of said chapter 41 shall  
19 terminate in accordance with said section 111F of said chapter 41 or at the conclusion of the  
20 employment term, whichever occurs sooner. Paul J. Shastany shall not be subject to sections  
21 85H or 85H½ of chapter 32 of the General Laws and shall not be eligible for any benefits  
22 pursuant to said sections 85H or 85H½ of said chapter 32. Paul J. Shastany shall be subject to  
23 chapter 415 of the acts of 1987.

24 SECTION 6. Paul J. Shastany shall not be subject to chapter 31, section 99A of chapter  
25 41, chapter 150E or chapter 151A of the General Laws.

26 SECTION 7. This act shall take effect upon its passage.