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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**John P. Fresolo**

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*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 residency.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| John P. Fresolo | 16th Worcester |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to residency.

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

Notwithstanding any law, ordinance, rule or policy to the contrary, no members of a regular fire or police department or a fire alarm division shall be required to reside within the limits of the city or town in which they are employed as a provision for continued employment.