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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Bradley H. Jones, Jr.**

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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 Withholding Pensions from Government Consultants.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Bradley H. Jones, Jr. | 20th Middlesex |
| Viriato Manuel deMacedo | 1st Plymouth |
| George N. Peterson, Jr. | 9th Worcester |
| Elizabeth Poirier | 14th Bristol |

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act Relative to Withholding Pensions from Government Consultants.

*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. Paragraph (b) of section 91 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, in line 84, after the word “authority” the words:- including as a consultant or independent contractor or as a person whose regular duties require that his time be devoted to the service of the commonwealth, city, town, district or authority during regular business hours,