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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Steven M. Walsh**

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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 retiree check off.

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PETITION OF:

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to retiree check off.

*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. Section 19 of Chapter 32 of the Massachusetts General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following at the end thereof:-  
Nothing in this Section shall prohibit the voluntary check-off deduction for membership in a retiree association or union and for voluntary programs relative to the association or union.