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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Ms. Flanagan**

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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 continuing retirement group membership for law enforcement officials.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Ms. Flanagan | Worcester and Middlesex |
| Scott P. Brown | Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex |
| William N. Brownsberger | 24th Middlesex |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S01436 OF 2007-2008.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act continuing retirement group membership for law enforcement officials.

 *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 4(1) of chapter 32 of the General Laws as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition is amended by adding a new section (t) at the end of said section 1 as follows:

Any member may, if currently or previously a member in Group IV, continue in or be returned to Group IV upon appointment to the following positions: Secretary and any Under Secretary or Assistant Secretary of Public Safety; Municipal Police Commissioner; Executive Director, staff member, Instructor and Academy Directors of the Municipal Police Training Committee; and investigators in the various District Attorneys offices.