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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Jennifer L. 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 relative to Janice Barney.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Jennifer L. Flanagan | Worcester and Middlesex |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. S01429 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to Janice Barney.

*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. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, Janice Barney shall be eligible to receive creditable service for time spent teaching in a nonpublic school provided before the date any retirement allowance becomes available for her, she pay into the annuity savings fund of the appropriate system in one sum, or in installments, an amount equal to that which would have been withheld as regular deductions from her regular compensation for such previous period had such service been rendered in a public institution of higher education and had been a member of a state retirement board.