

**HOUSE . . . . . No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**John J. Binienda**

*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 the police career incentive pay program.**

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                  | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: |
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| John J. Binienda       | 17th Worcester    |
| John P. Fresolo        | 16th Worcester    |
| Timothy J. Toomey, Jr. | 26th Middlesex    |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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### AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE POLICE CAREER INCENTIVE PAY PROGRAM.

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 108L of chapter 41 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby further amended by striking out the first paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following  
3 paragraph:—

4           There is hereby established a career incentive pay program offering base salary increases to regular full-time  
5 members of the various city and town police departments, uniformed members of the department of state police  
6 appointed under section ten of chapter twenty-two C, state police detectives appointed under section ten of said  
7 chapter twenty-two C, and environmental police officers appointed under the authority of section six of chapter  
8 twenty-one, as a reward for furthering their education in the field of police work.

9           SECTION 2. The fifth paragraph of said section 108L of said chapter 41, as so appearing, is hereby further  
10 amended by striking out the third sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:— The board of  
11 higher education shall also certify the amount of the career incentive salary increases to be allocated to the members  
12 of the department of state police appointed under section ten of chapter twenty-two C, and environmental police  
13 officers appointed by authority of section six of chapter twenty-one, from information filed with said board on or  
14 before September first of each year by the colonel of the state police for members of the department of state police  
15 appointed under section ten of chapter twenty-two C, and by the commissioner of the department of fisheries,  
16 wildlife and environmental law enforcement for members of the environmental police.

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