

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Bradford R. Hill

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 retirement of police officers and firefighters due to injury or illness.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Bradford R. Hill

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

4th Essex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2567 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT OF POLICE OFFICERS AND FIREFIGHTERS DUE
TO INJURY OR ILLNESS.

*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. Clause (ii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision (2) of section 7 of chapter 32 of the
2 General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the
3 word “and”, in line 85, the following words:-
- 4 provided further that all police officers and firefighters receive the annuity as determined in
5 accordance with the provisions of clause (i) plus a yearly amount of pension equal to seventy-
6 two percent of the annual rate of the current wages paid by the city or town for police officers
7 and firefighters;