## HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . No.

The Commonwess	Ith of Maggachugotte
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PRESI	ENTED BY:
Paul	Kujawski
	of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General pectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill: ent of health caused by hypertension.
PETI	TION OF:
NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Paul Kujawski	8th Worcester

## [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2627 OF 2007-2008.]

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In	the	Year	Two	Thousand	and	Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE IMPAIRMENT OF HEALTH CAUSED BY HYPERTENSION.

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: Sec. 94 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding a new paragraph. (2) The provisions of this section shall not apply to any person serving in such positions for fewer than five years at the time that such condition is first discovered, or should have been discovered. Any person first discovering any such condition within five years of the last date on which such person actively so served shall be eligible to apply for benefits hereunder, and such benefits, if granted, shall by payable as of date on which the employee last received regular compensation.

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