

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Stephen Kulik

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 limiting civil service for cities and towns to the selection and promotion of police officers and firefighters.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Stephen Kulik

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

1st Franklin

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2635 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT LIMITING CIVIL SERVICE FOR CITIES AND TOWNS TO THE SELECTION AND PROMOTION OF POLICE OFFICERS AND FIREFIGHTERS.

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. Chapter 31 of the general laws is hereby amended by adding the following new
2 section:

3 Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, upon the effective date of
4 this Act the provisions of Chapter 31 of the General Laws shall no longer apply to the selection and
5 promotion of municipal employees; provided however that the provisions of Chapter 31 shall apply to
6 the promotion and selection of municipal police officers and firefighters.