

**HOUSE . . . . .      No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

**Elizabeth A. Malia**

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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 the retirement rights of the employees of the Departments of Public Health, Mental Health, and Developmental Services.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

Elizabeth A. Malia

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

11th Suffolk

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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## AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT RIGHTS OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MENTAL HEALTH, AND DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES.

*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. Subsection 2(g) of section 3 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the
- 2         2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the words "children and employees of
- 3         Cushing hospital" in line 256 the following words:-
- 4         "; and all employees of the departments of developmental services, mental health and public health;
- 5         provided, that no member who attains age 65 while classified in Group 1 may thereafter be classified in
- 6         Group 2, irrespective of change in employment."