

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mr. Brewer

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 a retirement buy back from the Massachusetts teachers' retirement system.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Mr. Brewer

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S01460 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO A RETIREMENT BUY BACK FROM THE MASSACHUSETTS TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

*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. Notwithstanding chapter 32 of the General Laws, or any other general or special
2 law to the contrary, the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement System shall credit Cynthia
3 Whittington with service she rendered between 1973 and 1976 while teaching at Saint Anthony's
4 School in the city of Fitchburg, for the purpose of calculating a retirement allowance pursuant to
5 said chapter 32. Eligibility for the creditable service shall be conditioned upon payment to the
6 Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement System of an amount equal to the contributions she would
7 have otherwise paid into the retirement system for the period of service together with regular
8 interest thereon. The repayment shall be made in one sum or in installments as the
9 Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement System shall prescribe.