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HOUSE No. 2401

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David L. Flynn

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 oversight of Disability Pension Benefits. .

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
David L. Flynn	8th Plymouth
Michael R. Knapik	
Christine E. Canavan	10th Plymouth
Harold P. Naughton, Jr.	12th Worcester
Joyce A. Spiliotis	12th Essex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2510 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the	Year	Two	Thousand	and	Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE OVERSIGHT OF DISABILITY PENSION BENEFITS. .

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Subdivision (1) of section 8 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking the third sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- Any member, however, who has been retired for disability under the provisions of section six or seven for more than ten years shall be excused from any further evaluations unless the member submits a written request for such evaluation.