HOUSE No. 2562

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David Biele

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to firefighter retirement benefits.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
David Biele	4th Suffolk	2/11/2021
Daniel J. Ryan	2nd Suffolk	2/26/2021
Carlos González	10th Hampden	2/26/2021
Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.	12th Hampden	2/24/2021
Brian W. Murray	10th Worcester	2/23/2021
Tram T. Nguyen	18th Essex	2/19/2021
James K. Hawkins	2nd Bristol	2/26/2021
David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf	17th Worcester	2/26/2021
Paul W. Mark	2nd Berkshire	3/11/2021
Walter F. Timilty	Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth	3/11/2021
Vanna Howard	17th Middlesex	3/23/2021

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By Mr. Biele of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2562) of David Biele and others for legislation to expand the cancer presumption for firefighters. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2210 OF 2019-2020.]

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court (2021-2022)

An Act relative to firefighter retirement benefits.

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 the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary,

2 Chapter 32 Section 94B(2) of the General Laws as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition is

3 hereby amended by striking the word five in line 27 and insert the word ten after the word within

4 in line 27.

5 Section 2. Chapter 32 Section 94B (2) of the General Laws as appearing in the 2014

6 Official Edition is hereby amended by inserting in line 31 after the word compensation the

7 following words, in the event that such person retires in accordance with this section any

8 secondary cancer shall be covered in accordance with section 9 of this chapter.