

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2622**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Steven Owens and John J. Lawn, Jr.*

*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 further regulating the appointment of special police officers in the city of Watertown.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Steven Owens</i>	<i>29th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/10/2023</i>
<i>John J. Lawn, Jr.</i>	<i>10th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/10/2023</i>
<i>William N. Brownsberger</i>	<i>Suffolk and Middlesex</i>	<i>1/11/2023</i>

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By Representatives Owens of Watertown and Lawn of Watertown, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2622) of Steven Owens, John J. Lawn, Jr. and William N. Brownsberger (with the approval of the city council) relative to further regulating the appointment of special police officers in the city of Watertown. Public Service. [Local Approval Received.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court  
(2023-2024)**  
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An Act further regulating the appointment of special police officers in the city of Watertown.

*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. Section of chapter 41 of the acts of 2012 is hereby amended by striking out  
2 the second sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- Notwithstanding the  
3 maximum age restriction applicable to regular police officers of Watertown under chapter 32 of  
4 the General Laws, the maximum age restriction for said special police officers shall be 70 years  
5 of age.