

HOUSE No. 02951

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Ryan Fattman

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 reducing the Commonwealth's unfunded healthcare liability.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Ryan Fattman</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>
<i>Randy Hunt</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>
<i>Steven L. Levy</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>
<i>Elizabeth Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>

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By Mr. Fattman of Sutton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2951) of Poirier and others relative to health insurance coverage for certain terminated public employees Joint Committee on Public Service.

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act reducing the Commonwealth's unfunded healthcare liability.

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. Subdivision (1) of section 5 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as most recently
2 amended by chapters 21 and 25 of the Acts of 2009, is hereby further amended by inserting after
3 paragraph (n) the following new paragraph:

4 (n) Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, members hired after January 1,
5 2012 who are classified in Group 1 and Group 2 shall complete twenty years or creditable
6 service before the termination of his employment to be vested for purposes of receiving health
7 insurance.