

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3932**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Jay R. Kaufman, William N. Brownsberger**

*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 credible service .

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Jay R. Kaufman	15th Middlesex
William N. Brownsberger	24th Middlesex

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

## AN ACT RELATIVE TO CREDIBLE SERVICE .

*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 any general or special law to the contrary the State Teachers Retirement  
2 Board shall credit Barbara Goodman with creditable service of three years and seven months for the time  
3 she spent at the school of the Massachusetts Association for the Blind.

4 Eligibility for said creditable service shall be conditioned upon payment by Barbara Goodman to the state  
5 teachers retirement system of an amount equal to that which would have been deducted during such  
6 period had she been a member of the retirement system, plus accumulated buyback interest. Such  
7 payment shall be made in one lump sum or in installments upon such terms and conditions as the  
8 retirement board shall prescribe.  
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10 Section 2. The State Teachers Retirement Board shall credit Barbara Goodman with creditable service for  
11 the two years and two months time in which she was a member of the Arlington school committee.

12 Eligibility for said creditable service shall be conditioned upon payment by Barbara Goodman to the state  
13 teachers retirement system of an amount equal to the amount which would have been paid into such  
14 system during such period if such position had been compensated at the rate of twenty-five hundred  
15 dollars per year, plus buyback interest to the date of payment. Such payment shall be made in one lump  
16 sum or in installments upon such terms and conditions as the retirement board shall prescribe.