

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1211**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Katherine M. Clark, (BY REQUEST)***

*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 retirement buy back in to the Massachusetts teachers' retirement system.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Eleanor Burke</i>	<i>39 Vine Street</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Reading, MA 01867</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>
<i>Thomas J. Calter</i>	<i>12th Plymouth</i>

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By Ms. Clark (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1211) of Eleanor Burke, Bruce E. Tarr and Thomas J. Calter for legislation that the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement Board be authorized and directed to credit Eleanor Burke of Reading with certain creditable service . Public Service.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE  
□ SENATE  
□ , NO. 1282 OF 2011-2012.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to retirement buy back in to the Massachusetts teachers' retirement system.

*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  
2 contrary, the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement Board is hereby authorized and directed to  
3 credit Eleanor Burke of Reading with creditable service for the period from February 1994 to  
4 August 1997, inclusive, during which she served as consultant at the department of education,  
5 for the purpose of determining her superannuation retirement allowance; provided, however, that  
6 before the date any retirement allowance becomes effective, she shall pay into the annuity  
7 savings fund of the state retirement system in one sum or installments, upon such terms and  
8 conditions as the board may prescribe, an amount equal to that which would have been withheld  
9 as regular deductions from her regular compensation for such previous service, plus interest.