

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1784**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Walter F. Timilty*

*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 victim witness advocate retirement classification.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Walter F. Timilty*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth*

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By Mr. Timilty, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1784) of Walter F. Timilty for legislation relative to victim witness advocate retirement classification. Public Service.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to victim witness advocate retirement classification.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           Group 2 of paragraph (g) of subdivision (2) of section 3 of chapter 32 of the General  
2   Laws, as most recently amended by chapter 139 of the acts of 2012, is hereby further amended  
3   by inserting after the words “employees of the trial court of the commonwealth who hold the  
4   position of chief probation officer, assistant chief probation officer, probation officer in charge or  
5   probation officer, chief court officer, assistant chief court officer or court officer” the following  
6   words:- employees holding the title of victim witness advocate as defined by section 1 of chapter  
7   258B who have been employed in such capacity for ten years or more;