SENATE No. 2983

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Sal N. DiDomenico

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 the city of Everett home rule charter.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Sal N. DiDomenico	Middlesex and Suffolk
Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.	28th Middlesex

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2983) of Sal N. DiDomenico and Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr. (with approval of the mayor and city council) for legislation relative to the city of Everett home rule charter. Municipalities and Regional Government. [Local approval received]

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court (2021-2022)

An Act relative to the city of Everett home rule charter.

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

- 1 The charter of the city of Everett, as on file with the archivist of the Commonwealth in
- 2 accordance with Massachusetts General Law Chapter 43B Section 12, is hereby amended as
- 3 follows:
- 4 SECTION 1.
- 5 SECTION 2-3: PROHIBITIONS of the charter of the city of Everett shall be amended as
- 6 follows:
- 7 SECTION 2-3(a)(1) shall be amended by inserting the phrase "said office is under the
- 8 school department jurisdiction and "between the words "unless" and "authorized"; and
- 9 SECTION 2-3(a)(1) shall be further amended by deleting the phrase "or by the state
- 10 ethics commission"; and

11	SECTION 2-3(a) shall be further amended by inserting a new subsection (2) as follows
12	and resequencing the existing subsection (2) accordingly:
13	"(2) A member of the city council shall not hold any appointed school department office
14	or school department employment unless said office or employment was held one hundred
15	twenty (120) days prior to nomination papers being pulled for city council position."; and
16	The newly re-sequenced SECTION 2-3(a)(3) shall be amended by changing the phrase
17	"thirty (30)" to "ninety (90)"); and
18	The newly re-sequenced SECTION 2-3(a)(3)(a.) shall be amended by changing the
19	phrase "thirty (30)" to "ninety (90)").
20	SECTION 2.
21	SECTION 2-4: COMPENSATION; EXPENSES of the charter of the city of Everett shall
22	be amended as follows:
23	SECTION 2-4(a) shall be amended by adding a new subsection (3) as follows and
24	resequencing the existing subsection (3) accordingly.
25	"(3) If authorized by the city council as a special municipal employee under chapter
26	268A of the General Laws, a city council member shall not collect compensation for the special
27	municipal employee position if the member holds another compensated city employment or city
28	office, including but not limited to employment or office under the school department
29	jurisdiction.".

SECTION 3.

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31	SECTION 4-3: PROHIBITIONS of the charter of the city of Everett shall be amended as
32	follows:
33	SECTION 4-3(a)(1) shall be amended by inserting the phrase "said office is under the
34	jurisdiction of the administration or the legislature and "between the words "unless" and
35	"authorized"; and
36	SECTION 4-3(a)(1) shall be further amended by deleting the phrase "or the state ethics
37	commission"; and
38	SECTION 4-3(a) shall be further amended by inserting a new subsection (2) as follows
39	and resequencing the existing subsection (2) accordingly:
40	"(2) A member of the school department shall not hold any appointed city office or city
41	employment unless said office or employment was held one hundred twenty (120) days prior to
42	nomination papers being pulled for school committee position."; and
43	The newly re-sequenced SECTION 4-3(a)(3) shall be amended by changing the phrase
44	"thirty (30)" to "ninety (90)"); and
45	The newly re-sequenced SECTION 4-3(a)(3)(a.) shall be amended by changing the
46	phrase "thirty (30)" to "ninety (90)").
47	SECTION 4.
48	SECTION 4-4: COMPENSATION; EXPENSES of the charter of the city of Everett shall
10	he amended as follows:

- SECTION 4(a) shall be amended by adding a new subsection (2) as follows and resequencing the existing subsection (2) accordingly:
- "(2) If authorized by the city council as a special municipal employee under chapter

 268A of the General Laws, a school committee member shall not collect compensation for the

 special municipal employee position if the member holds another compensated city employment

 or city office."
- SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon its passage.