

SENATE No. 1033

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Gale D. Candaras

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 authorizing Timothy S. Rogers to join the state retirement system

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Gale D. Candaras

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DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

First Hampden and Hampshire

12th Hampden

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S01469 OF .]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT AUTHORIZING TIMOTHY S. ROGERS TO JOIN THE STATE 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 any special or general law, rule or regulation to the contrary, the
2 state board of retirement is authorized to admit Timothy S. Rogers, an employee of the Commonwealth of
3 Massachusetts as a member of said retirement system beginning on the date of his employment with the
4 Commonwealth of Massachusetts. As a condition of his enrollment in the state retirement system,
5 Timothy S. Rogers shall be required to pay an amount into the annuity savings fund of the state retirement
6 system, an amount equal to that he would have contributed as if he had been a member in service in said
7 retirement system together with regular interest thereon as of the date of his commencement of his
8 employment with the Commonwealth. In addition, notwithstanding any special or general law, rule or
9 regulation to the contrary, the Hampden County retirement board is authorized to transfer said Timothy S.
10 Rogers' annuity savings fund and creditable service earned as a firefighter with the Town of Wilbraham
11 to the state retirement board, but in no event shall any creditable service be granted for the period of time
12 said Timothy S. Rogers collected a disability retirement from the Hampden County retirement board. This
13 transfer shall occur after Timothy S. Rogers becomes a member of the state retirement system and only in
14 the event that Timothy S. Rogers repays to the Hampden County retirement system all annuity payments
15 he received while on disability retirement from the Hampden County retirement system together with
16 regular interest thereon. The transfer of said annuity savings fund and creditable service shall terminate all
17 rights to benefits of Timothy S. Rogers in the Hampden County retirement system, including but not
18 limited to, his right to reinstatement of his accidental disability retirement benefits.