I am writing this to support the efforts of House Bill 4125 affecting reserve peace officers.

I myself have been a reserve police officer with the Independence Police Department for almost a year and half now. I do this work because I enjoy it and I enjoy serving the community.

I strongly believe reserves should be treated the same way as full time officers as far as the law is concerned.

Soon I will be married and I'm sure kids aren't too far along after and I want my future wife and children to be rest assured that they will be taken care of and justice will be served in the event of tragedy.

Thank you,

Reserve Officer Tom Dalke