

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Bradley H. Jones, Jr.

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 respecting the will of the voters.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Viriato Manuel deMacedo	1st Plymouth
Bradley H. Jones, Jr.	20th Middlesex
George N. Peterson, Jr.	9th Worcester
Elizabeth Poirier	14th Bristol
Mr. Brown	Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2961 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO RESPECTING THE WILL OF THE VOTERS.

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. Section 4 of said chapter 62 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by
2 chapter 173 of the acts of 2008, is hereby amended by striking out subsection (b) in its entirety
3 and inserting in place thereof the following subsection:-

4 (b) Part B taxable income shall be taxed at the rate of 5.15 percent for the taxable year
5 beginning January 1, 2011.

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7 SECTION 2. Section 4 of said chapter 62 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby amended
8 by striking out subsection (b) in its entirety and inserting in place thereof the following
9 subsection:-

10 (b) Part B taxable income shall be taxed at the rate of 5 percent for the taxable year
11 beginning January 1, 2012.

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13 SECTION 3. Section 1 of this act shall be effective only for the taxable year beginning January 1,
14 2011.

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16 SECTION 4. Section 2 of this act shall be effective for taxable years beginning on or after
17 January 1, 2012.

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