

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Thomas M. Stanley

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 the Support Our Troops distinctive registration plates.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Thomas M. Stanley

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

9th Middlesex

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine
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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SUPPORT OUR TROOPS DISTINCTIVE REGISTRATION PLATES.

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 2E of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official
2 Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:-

3 (d) The registrar shall furnish, upon application, to the owners of private passenger motor
4 vehicles distinctive registration plates which shall display on their face a yellow ribbon and eagle design
5 commemorating and supporting the men and women currently serving in the military and the words
6 “Support Our Troops”. There shall be a fee of not less than twenty dollars for such plates in addition to
7 the established registration fee for private passenger motor vehicles, such fee being payable at the time
8 of registration of such vehicle and at each renewal thereof. The portion of the total fee remaining after
9 the deduction of costs directly attributable to the issuance of such plates shall be deposited within 90
10 days of receipt thereof in the General Fund for all commonwealth run programs for veterans and active
11 military members.