

**HOUSE . . . . . No.**

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**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 to provide additional property tax relief for veterans .

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 TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR VETERANS .

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

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2 the authority of the same, as follows:

3 SECTION 1. Clause twenty second of section of chapter 59 of the general laws, as amended by section 1  
4 of chapter 260 of the acts of 2006, is hereby amended, by striking out the figure "\$400," and inserting in  
5 place thereof, the figure \$500." For the purposes of this clause, \$2,000.00 of this exemption or up to  
6 the sum of \$175.00, whichever basis is applicable shall be borne by the city or town; the balance, up to  
7 the sum of \$325 shall be borne by the commonwealth.

8 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on November 11, 2008