

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John A. Hart, 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 Requiring the Department of Housing and Community Development to Offer the Elderly the Option of One of Three Placements in Public Housing.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

John A. Hart, Jr.

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

First Suffolk

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S00756 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT TO OFFER THE ELDERLY THE OPTION OF ONE OF THREE PLACEMENTS
IN PUBLIC HOUSING.

*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 40 of Chapter 121B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2000
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after subsection (h), the following subsection:-
3 (i) When selecting elderly persons as tenants, the department shall offer to said persons at least
4 three units, which units shall not be located in the same housing project or development, from
5 which said elderly persons choose one.