

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mr. Downing

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 increasing the allowable deduction for heat at state-aided housing.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Mr. Downing

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Berkshire, Hampshire and Franklin

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT INCREASING THE ALLOWABLE DEDUCTION FOR HEAT AT STATE-AIDED 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. The department of housing and community development shall, in accordance with
- 2 760 CMR 6.05 (4)(d), allow for a minimum heat deduction of \$600 and a maximum heat
- 3 deduction of \$1,500, for the purposes of determining gross household income of residents of
- 4 state-aided housing.