HOUSE No. 2693

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Chris Walsh

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act allowing PILOT payments to municipalities.

PETITION OF:

Name:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Chris Walsh	6th Middlesex
Josh S. Cutler	6th Plymouth
Tom Sannicandro	7th Middlesex
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex

By Mr. Walsh of Framingham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2693) of Chris Walsh and others relative to the value of land owned by nonprofits. Revenue.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2757 OF 2013-2014.]

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act allowing PILOT payments to municipalities.

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. Chapter 58 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010 Official Edition,

2 is hereby amended by inserting after section 17B the following 2 sections:-

Section 17B1/2. In every year, not later than August first, the commissioner shall deliver
to the state treasurer a statement as to the value of land owned by nonprofits for the purposes
named in section 4 of chapter 180 in each town, and of the amount of money to be paid to each
of such towns as determined by the following section.

Section 17B3/4. The treasurer in every year, not later than November twentieth, shall
reimburse each town in which a nonprofit owns lands for the purposes named in section 4 of
chapter 180 an amount in lieu of taxes upon the value of such land as reported to him by the

- 10 commissioner under the preceding section, determined by multiplying each thousand dollars of
- 11 valuation or fractional part thereof by the rate provided for under section 58 of chapter 63.