

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Colleen M. Garry

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 relative to veterans benefits.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Colleen M. Garry	36th Middlesex
Carolyn C. Dykema	8th Middlesex

By Miss Garry of Dracut, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3138) of Colleen M. Garry and Carolyn C. Dykema relative to the calculation of benefits of veterans receiving public housing and other public assistance. Veterans and Federal Affairs.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. *3186* OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act relative to veterans benefits.

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 5 of Chapter 115 shall be amended by adding at the end the following:

- 2 Any increase in existing benefits provided to the veteran under this section shall not be
- 3 included in any calculation for public housing or any other public assistance program.