

HOUSE No. 2545

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul J. Donato

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 providing for a certain real property tax exemption.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Paul J. Donato</i>	<i>35th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/10/2013</i>

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By Mr. Donato of Medford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2545) of Paul J. Donato relative to providing a real estate tax exemption for certain elderly persons for payments to the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority. Revenue.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1685 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen
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An Act providing for a certain real property tax exemption.

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 5 of chapter 69 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by
2 Section 114 of chapter 159 of the acts of 2000, is hereby amended by adding the following
3 clause:—

4 Fifty-fourth. Owners of real estate in cities and towns within the waterworks
5 system or sewer system of the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority who are 65 years of
6 age or older shall receive an exemption equal to 50 percent of charges paid to a city or town for
7 water and sewer.