

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2903

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand Nine  
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An Act clarifying the limited exemption from taxation of certain facilities for the treatment of committed mentally ill patients..

*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. Clause third (c) of section five of chapter fifty-nine of the General Laws, as  
2     appearing in the 1998 Official Edition, is hereby amended in the third and fourth lines by  
3     deleting the comma after the phrase “or principally for the treatment of mental diseases or mental  
4     disorders,” and by adding the following new words:— “or principally for the treatment of mental  
5     diseases or mental disorders of persons committed to a facility pursuant to chapter one hundred  
6     and twenty-three,”.

7           SECTION 2. Clause third (d) of section five of chapter fifty-nine of the General Laws, as  
8     appearing in the 1998 Official Edition, is hereby amended in the fourth line by deleting the  
9     comma after the phrase “or principally for the treatment of mental diseases or mental disorders,”  
10    and by adding the following new words:— “or principally for the treatment of mental diseases or  
11    mental disorders of persons committed to a facility pursuant to chapter one hundred and twenty-  
12    three,”.