

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3953**

---

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**In the Year Two Thousand Nine**  
\_\_\_\_\_

An Act relative to local taxation..

*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 59 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section  
2 5L the following:-

3           Section 5M. No municipality or anyone acting on its behalf shall request state or federal  
4 tax forms. For the purposes of local tax exemptions, the taxpayer may provide the necessary  
5 numbers in writing, under the pains and penalties of perjury, to the municipality or its agent.