

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 679**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand Nine**  
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An Act relative to certain expenditures by some non profit corporations on ballot questions..

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 Chapter 180 of the General Laws as appearing in the 2000 official edition is hereby  
2 amended by inserting after Section 4 the following new section:-

3 Section 4A Rebate of Certain Expenditures by some Non-Profit Corporations.

4 A corporation incorporated under this chapter or incorporated by a special act and  
5 governed by this chapter which engages in the procurement of health care services and which  
6 files an annual statement of condition with the commissioner of insurance or is otherwise  
7 governed in any way by chapter 176G of the general laws which makes an expenditure  
8 reportable under Chapter 55 Section 22 on a question proposal to the voters shall credit to the  
9 fees or premium paid by members as a proportioned cost of the expenditures on the ballot  
10 question if the member objects in writing to the expenditure.