

HOUSE No. 3135

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John J. Binienda

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 elderly housing.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>John J. Binienda</i>	<i>17th Worcester</i>	<i>1/21/2011</i>
<i>John P. Fresolo</i>	<i>16th Worcester</i>	<i>1/24/2011</i>

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By Mr. Binienda of Worcester, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3135) of John J. Binienda and John P. Fresolo for legislation to regulate the width of stairways in housing constructed for elderly persons. Housing.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3682 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to elderly housing.

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 121B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby
2 amended by inserting after section 40 the following section:

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4 Section 40A. Structures constructed expressly for use as housing for persons 55 years of
5 age or over or 62 years of age or older shall have stairways at least 48 inches in width.