

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Richard T. Moore

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 adult family homes.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Richard T. MooreWorcester and Norfolk

SENATE DOCKET, NO. 1461 FILED ON: 1/18/2013 SENATE No. 302

By Mr. Richard T. Moore, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 302) of Richard T. Moore for legislation relative to adult family homes. Elder Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to adult family homes.

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

SECTION 1. Section 71 of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010
 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, in line 5, after the words "a rest home" the
 following:- ", adult family home,"; and

4 in line 22, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and 5 in line 74, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and 6 in line 80, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and 7 in line 86, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and in line 121, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and 8 in line 128, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and 9 in line 134, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and 10 in line 138, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and 11 by inserting, in line 155, after the word "supervision." the following:-12 "An adult family home is defined as an institution where no more than 4 adults not 13 related to the licensee reside in which care, treatment or service above the level of room and 14

board but not including nursing care are provided to persons residing in the home as a primaryfunction of the place."; and

17	in line 170, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and
18	in line 173, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and
19	in line 211, after the words "nursing home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and
20	in line 266, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,"; and
21	in line 234, after the words "rest home" the following:- ", adult family home,".
22 23 24	SECTION 2. Section 72 of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby amended by inserting, in line 2, after the words "rest homes" the following:- ", adult family homes,"; and
25	in line 6, after the words "rest homes" the following:- ", adult family homes,"; and
26	in line 20, after the words "rest homes" the following:- ", adult family homes,"; and
27	in line 25, after the words "rest homes" the following:- ", adult family homes,"; and
28	in line 37, after the words "rest homes" the following:- ", adult family homes,"; and
29	in line 41, after the words "rest homes" the following:- ", adult family homes,";