

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1125**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Harold P. Naughton, Jr.***

*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 public housing determination for veterans.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Worcester</i>	<i>1/9/2015</i>
<i>Frank A. Moran</i>	<i>17th Essex</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i>	<i>28th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>David T. Vieira</i>	<i>3rd Barnstable</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>John C. Velis</i>	<i>4th Hampden</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Linda Dean Campbell</i>	<i>15th Essex</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Kate Hogan</i>	<i>3rd Middlesex</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Peter V. Kocot</i>	<i>1st Hampshire</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Theodore C. Speliotis</i>	<i>13th Essex</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Mark J. Cusack</i>	<i>5th Norfolk</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>
<i>James R. Miceli</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/12/2019</i>

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By Mr. Naughton of Clinton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1125) of Harold P. Naughton, Jr., and others for legislation to exclude certain veterans' benefits in calculating housing assistance benefits. Housing.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1141 OF 2013-2014.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to public housing determination for veterans.

*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 Section 32, is hereby amended by inserting the following at the end of the
- 2 fifth paragraph: notwithstanding any other laws to the contrary, benefits received by veterans
- 3 and/or their spouses as a result of eligibilty for such benefits under Chapter 115 shall be excluded
- 4 for purposes of rent determination.