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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

***Dennis A. Rosa***

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*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 veterans preference for public housing.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Dennis A. Rosa</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>	<i>1/16/2015</i>
<i>Stephen L. DiNatale</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>
<i>Jonathan D. Zlotnik</i>	<i>2nd Worcester</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>
<i>James Arciero</i>	<i>2nd Middlesex</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>
<i>Brian R. Mannal</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>
<i>Leonard Mirra</i>	<i>2nd Essex</i>	<i>8/9/2019</i>

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By Mr. Rosa of Leominster, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3163) of Dennis A. Rosa and others for legislation to grant preference to veterans in public housing. Veterans and Federal Affairs.

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)  
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An Act relative to veterans preference for public 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           SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary the Department  
2 of Housing and Community Development shall not promulgate any rules or preference  
3 categories for public housing without giving preference to a veteran from another community  
4 over an illegal immigrant.

5           SECTION 2. The Department of Housing and Community Development shall  
6 promulgate regulations in accordance with SECTION 1.