

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1422**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Bradley H. Jones, 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 restrictions.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                         | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:     | DATE ADDED:      |
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| <i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>  | <i>20th Middlesex</i> | <i>2/5/2021</i>  |
| <i>Susan Williams Gifford</i> | <i>2nd Plymouth</i>   | <i>2/25/2021</i> |
| <i>Paul K. Frost</i>          | <i>7th Worcester</i>  | <i>3/11/2021</i> |
| <i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>     | <i>1st Plymouth</i>   | <i>3/24/2021</i> |
| <i>Steven S. Howitt</i>       | <i>4th Bristol</i>    | <i>3/31/2021</i> |

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By Mr. Jones of North Reading, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1422) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr. and others relative to public housing restrictions. Housing.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to public housing restrictions.

*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. Section 32 of chapter 121B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2018  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph at the end thereof:-

3           Notwithstanding any general or special law or regulation to the contrary, an applicant for  
4 assisted housing under this chapter who is not eligible for federal assisted housing under 42  
5 U.S.C. section 1436a shall not displace or be given priority over any applicant who is so eligible.