

HOUSE No. 3110

By Mr. Scaccia of Boston, petition of Angelo M. Scaccia for legislation to clarify the limited exemption from taxation of certain facilities for the treatment of committed mentally ill persons. Revenue.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT CLARIFYING THE LIMITED EXEMPTION FROM TAXATION OF CERTAIN FACILITIES FOR THE TREATMENT OF COMMITTED MENTALLY ILL PATIENTS.

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. Clause third (c) of section five of chapter fifty-nine
2 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1998 Official Edition, is
3 hereby amended in the third and fourth lines by deleting the comma
4 after the phrase “or principally for the treatment of mental diseases
5 or mental disorders,” and by adding the following new words:— “or
6 principally for the treatment of mental diseases or mental disorders
7 of persons committed to a facility pursuant to chapter one hundred
8 and twenty-three.”.

1 SECTION 2. Clause third (d) of section five of chapter fifty-nine
2 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1998 Official Edition, is
3 hereby amended in the fourth line by deleting the comma after the
4 phrase “or principally for the treatment of mental diseases or mental
5 disorders,” and by adding the following new words:— “or princi-
6 pally for the treatment of mental diseases or mental disorders of per-
7 sons committed to a facility pursuant to chapter one hundred and
8 twenty-three.”.