

By Mr. Sullivan of Norwood, petition of Martin G. Nee, Gregory William Sullivan and others relative to property tax abatements for senior citizens. Taxation.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Nine.

AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY TAX ABATEMENTS FOR SENIOR CITIZENS.

*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 forty-first of section 5 of chapter 59 of the  
2 General Laws, as most recently amended by section 27 of chapter  
3 58 of the acts of 1978, is hereby further amended by striking out, in  
4 line 4, the word "seventieth" and inserting in place thereof the  
5 words: — sixty-five; by striking out in line 7, as so appearing, the  
6 word "seventieth" and inserting in place thereof the words: —  
7 sixty-five; by striking out in line 9, as so appearing, the word  
8 "seventieth" and inserting in place thereof the words: — sixty-five;  
9 by striking out in line 32, as so appearing, the word "seventieth"  
10 and inserting in place thereof the words: — sixty-five.

1 SECTION 2. Said clause forty-first of said section 5 of said  
2 chapter 59 is hereby further amended by striking out in line 19, as  
3 appearing in chapter 767 of the acts of 1977, the word "six" and  
4 inserting in place thereof the word: — thirteen; and by striking out  
5 in line 20, as so appearing, the word "seven" and inserting in place  
6 thereof the word: — fifteen.

1 SECTION 3. Said clause forty-first of said section 5 of chapter  
2 59 is hereby further amended by striking out in line 41, as appear-  
3 ing in chapter 907 of the acts of 1977, the word "forty" and inserting

4 in place thereof the word: — fifty; and striking out in line 42, as so  
5 appearing, the words “forty-five” and inserting in place thereof the  
6 words: — fifty-five.