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By Mr. Hollis of Braintree, petition of Herbert B. Hollis for legislation to exempt from taxation the property of incorporated instrumentalities of the Massachusetts State Aerie Fraternal Order of Eagles. Taxation.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Four.

AN ACT EXEMPTING FROM TAXATION THE PROPERTY OF INCORPORATED INSTRUMENTALITIES OF THE MASSACHUSETTS STATE AERIE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.

*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. The real or personal property of any incorporated  
2 instrumentality of the Massachusetts State Aerie Fraternal  
3 Order of Eagles, whether such instrumentality is incorporated  
4 under the laws of the commonwealth or under the laws of any  
5 other state of the United States, shall be exempt from taxation  
6 under the provisions of chapter fifty-nine of the General Laws,  
7 so long as such property is principally and usually devoted to  
8 the religious, educational or charitable purposes of said unin-  
9 corporated association.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect as of January first,  
2 nineteen hundred and sixty-four.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE

IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AND TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE

RELATIVE TO THE LANDS BELONGING TO THE STATE

IN ANSWER TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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