

HOUSE No. 3773

By Mr. Ahearn of Norwood, petition of the Mass. Rest Home Association that certain rest homes be exempt from certain rules and regulations relative to the prevention of fires. Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT EXEMPTING REST HOMES FROM CERTAIN RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY RELATIVE TO THE PREVENTION OF FIRE.

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 3Q of chapter 143 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by adding the following sentence: — Notwithstanding
3 the preceding provisions of this section, the installation of a
4 sprinkler system shall not be required in any rest home which is
5 not authorized to contain more than twenty-five beds, providing
6 further that only ambulatory patients are housed therein.

The Government of the United States
in the Territory of the United States

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