

By Mr. Pierce of Westfield, petition of Steven D. Pierce and other members of the House relative to a tax exemption equal to the amount of expenses paid by any person for the purchase of commuter rail tickets. Taxation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Seven.

AN ACT PROVIDING TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR MASS TRANSIT USE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Subdivision (b) of subsection B of section 3 of chapter 62 of the
2 General Laws as most recently amended by Chapter 233 of the Acts
3 of 1983 is hereby amended by inserting after paragraph (6) the
4 following new paragraph: —

5 (7) An exemption equal to the amount of expenses paid by any
6 person for purchase of commuter rail tickets issued by any railroad
7 within the Commonwealth and/or a reasonable allowance for
8 expenses paid for fares on any of the rapid transit lines, where
9 applicable, or surface lines owned or operated by the Massachu-
10 setts Bay Transportation Authority or any independent bus lines.

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