

By Mr. Scaccia of Boston, petition of Angelo M. Scaccia for legislation to further regulate real estate tax exemptions of organizations of veterans of war. Taxation.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

**AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING REAL ESTATE TAX EXEMPTIONS OF ORGANIZATIONS OF VETERANS OF WAR.**

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

1 Clause fifth of section five of Chapter fifty-nine of the General  
2 Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 823 of the Acts of  
3 1974, is hereby further amended by striking out said section and  
4 inserting in place thereof the following: —

5 Fifth, the real and personal estate belonging to or held in trust  
6 for the benefit of incorporated organizations of veterans of any war  
7 in which the United States has been engaged, to the extent of four  
8 hundred thousand dollars, if actually used and occupied by such  
9 association, and if the net income from said property is used for  
10 charitable purposes; but it shall not be exempt for any year in  
11 which such association or the trustees holding for the benefit of  
12 such association wilfully omit to bring into the assessors the list  
13 and statement required by section twenty-nine.

