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By Mr. Manning of Milton, petition of Thomas J. Connelly, Jr., and M. Joseph Manning for legislation to improve the quality of life in state-aided public housing for the elderly and handicapped. Housing and Urban Development.

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## **The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LIFE IN STATE-AIDED PUBLIC HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY AND HANDICAPPED.

*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 40 of Chapter 121B of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by the addition of the following paragraph after  
3 paragraph (g): —

4 “(h) All state-aided housing for the elderly of low income and  
5 for the handicapped of low income, in public housing authority  
6 developments of fifteen or more units, shall be equipped with  
7 frost-free refrigerators, emergency pull cord alarms in at least two  
8 locations in each unit, and with air conditioned community rooms  
9 or community facilities accessible to elderly and handicapped resi-  
10 dents on a twenty-four hour basis.

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THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES

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