

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2528**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Nick Collins*

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to Massachusetts residents serving on active duty in the U.S Armed Forces.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Nick Collins*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*4th Suffolk*

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By Mr. Collins of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2528) of Nick Collins that residents of the Commonwealth serving in the armed forces be exempt from paying state income tax. Revenue.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**

An Act relative to Massachusetts residents serving on active duty in the U.S Armed Forces.

*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 5A of Chapter 62 of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby amended by  
2 striking out subsection (c) and putting in place thereof the following:-  
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4 "(c) In applying this section, any and all residents of the Commonwealth serving in any branch  
5 of the United States Armed Forces will be exempt from paying Massachusetts state income tax  
6 during their time on active duty."