

HOUSE No. 3499

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

James H. Fagan

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 defining substantial value.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

James H. Fagan

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

3rd Bristol

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3186 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT DEFINING SUBSTANTIAL VALUE.

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 1. Section 1 of Chapter 268A of the General Laws appearing in the 2006 Official Edition is hereby
2 amended by adding the following definition:—

3 (R) “Substantial value”, anything with a value of \$500 of more, unless a court determines that based upon
4 the facts of a particular case a higher amount should apply.