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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2012

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RELATING TO PROPERTY

Introduced By: Senators Bates, Ottiano, and Cote

Date Introduced: January 18, 2012

Referred To: Senate Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Section 34-7-9 of the General Laws in Chapter 34-7 entitled "By Possession  
2 and Prescription" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3           **34-7-9. ~~Land preserved for open space and conservation purposes~~ Land preserved**  
4 **for open space, conservation or cemetery purposes.** -- Any land held or preserved by a  
5 nonprofit corporation or nonprofit association for purposes of conservation, ~~or~~ open space, or a  
6 cemetery is not subject to adverse possession or prescription.

7           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
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- 1           This act would exempt land held by nonprofit corporations for cemetery purposes from
- 2 adverse possession or prescription.
- 3           This act would take effect upon passage.

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