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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

James B. Eldridge

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:

An Act improving neighborhood solar and net-metering in the commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
James B. Eldridge	☐ *[District]* ☐
Susan C. Fargo	☐ *[District]* ☐
Peter V. Kocot	*1st Hampshire*
Sonia Chang-Diaz	☐ *[District]* ☐
Carolyn C. Dykema	*8th Middlesex*
Jonathan Hecht	*29th Middlesex*
Bruce E. Tarr	☐ *[District]* ☐

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By Mr. Eldridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1664) of James B. Eldridge, Susan C. Fargo, Peter V. Kocot, Sonia Chang-Diaz and other members of the General Court for legislation to improve neighborhood solar and net-metering in the commonwealth. Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

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An Act improving neighborhood solar and net-metering in the commonwealth.

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

SECTION 1. Section 138 of chapter 164 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out, in line 77, the words “10” and inserting in place thereof the following:-

SECTION 2. Section 139 of chapter 164 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out, in line 67, the words “shall not exceed 1 per cent of the distribution” and inserting in place thereof the following:- shall be equivalent with the aggregate capacity of the Massachusetts Solar Renewable Energy Credit market