

HOUSE No. 3101

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Nine

An Act relative to energy planning..

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. The M.G.L. are amended by the following language. Not with standing any
2 general law to the contrary the Secretary of Energy and the Environment shall develop a plan
3 that anticipates the cost of fossil fuels increasing exponentially over the next ten years. The
4 secretary shall create a pragmatic plan that will retrofit existing residential buildings in the
5 Commonwealth to meet energy efficiency requirements that will lower overall energy usage per
6 unit by at least fifty percent over a ten year period. Said plan shall be completed within one year
7 of the passage of this bill.