HOUSE No. 1121

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Demetrius J. Atsalis

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to restore local control in coastal communities of the Commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:DATE ADDED:Demetrius J. Atsalis2nd Barnstable1/20/2011

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By Mr. Atsalis of Barnstable, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1121) of Demetrius J. Atsalis relative to restoring local control in coastal communities of the Commonwealth. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act to restore local control in coastal communities of 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:

- 1 Chapter 21F of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby
- 2 amended by adding the following section:
- 3 Section 8. Any coastal city or town acting through its mayor with the approval of the city
- 4 council, through its manager and town council in a town having town council form of
- 5 government, or through its board of selectmen and town meeting in any other town may
- 6 designate a proposed area of coastal waters adjacent to said city or town as a "wind development
- 7 exclusion zone."