

HOUSE No. 2545

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Randy Hunt

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 relative to promoting energy efficiency.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Randy Hunt</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>	<i>1/15/2015</i>
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>	<i>2/4/2015</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>	<i>2/2/2015</i>
<i>Mathew Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>	<i>2/3/2015</i>
<i>Shaunna L. O'Connell</i>	<i>3rd Bristol</i>	<i>1/31/2015</i>

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By Mr. Hunt of Sandwich, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2545) of Randy Hunt and others for legislation to exempt energy efficiency projects from certain sales tax and wage laws. Revenue.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2607 OF 2013-2014.]

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)

An Act relative to promoting energy efficiency.

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 6 of chapter 64H of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:-

3 (yy) sales of equipment purchased by municipalities or businesses that reduce energy use
4 of a building. The commissioner shall promulgate regulations to implement the provisions of
5 this paragraph.

6 SECTION 2. Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official
7 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after section 27D the following section:-

8 Section 27D½. Public building projects for energy efficiency shall not be subject to
9 sections 26 to 27D, inclusive; provided, that such project has a cost under \$250,000 and is for the
10 energy reduction of such building by 15 per cent or more.