

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1770**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Todd M. Smola***

*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 accountability of public funds used for wind turbines.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>
<i>James M. Cantwell</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>
<i>David T. Vieira</i>	<i>3rd Barnstable</i>
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>

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By Mr. Smola of Warren, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1770) of Todd M. Smola and others relative to accountability of public funds used for wind turbines. Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2914 OF 2015-2016.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to accountability of public funds used for wind turbines.

*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 23J Section 5 of the general laws is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof  
2 the following paragraph.

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4 Expenditures of moneys for wind turbines from the Massachusetts Renewable Energy  
5 Trust grant, loan, or credits or federal finds distributed by the Commonwealth shall be posted on  
6 a web site maintained by the center for that purpose and updated monthly. The website  
7 information will include the recipient name, the program, date of award, award amount and the  
8 project name and location.