

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3219**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***RoseLee Vincent and Michelle M. DuBois***

*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 further regulating siting of solid waste facilities.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>RoseLee Vincent</i>	<i>16th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/20/2017</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/20/2017</i>
<i>Lori A. Ehrlich</i>	<i>8th Essex</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>	<i>1/31/2017</i>
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>David M. Rogers</i>	<i>24th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>

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By Representatives Vincent of Revere and DuBois of Brockton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3219) of RoseLee Vincent, Michelle M. DuBois and others for legislation to further regulate the siting of solid waste facilities. Municipalities and Regional Government.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act further regulating siting of solid waste facilities.

*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 150A1/2 of Chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the  
2 2014 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following subsections at the end of the  
3 section:—

4           (18) the potential adverse impacts on municipalities containing Environmental Justice  
5 Population, (defined as a neighborhood whose annual median household income is equal to or  
6 less than 65 percent of the statewide median or whose population is made up 25 percent minority  
7 or lacking English language proficiency), within one mile of the proposed site including the  
8 potential adverse impacts on the considerations stated within this section for which site  
9 suitability standards and criteria are established.

10           (19) the potential for the site to be impacted by anticipated sea level rise or coastal storm  
11 surge associated with climate change.

- 12 (20) the proximity to and potential impacts of the site on designated Areas of Critical
- 13 Environmental Concern.