

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2201**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Jason M. Lewis*

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*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 municipal light plant participation in green communities.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Jason M. Lewis*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Fifth Middlesex*

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By Mr. Lewis, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2201) of Jason M. Lewis for legislation relative to municipal light plant participation in green communities. Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to municipal light plant participation in green communities.

*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 10 of Chapter 25A, as appearing in the 2018 Official Edition, is hereby amended  
2 by adding after clause (e), the following new sentence:

3           “In adopting such regulations, the division shall require that a municipal lighting plant  
4 serving a municipal territory in which a customer receives services from an investor-owned  
5 utility, all municipalities served by said municipal lighting plan shall be eligible for the green  
6 communities program and exempt from subsection (a) of section 20 of chapter 25 of the general  
7 laws.”