SENATE No. 2130

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Anne M. Gobi

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 monthly minimum reliability contributions.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Anne M. GobiWorcester and Hampshire

SENATE No. 2130

By Ms. Gobi, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2130) of Anne M. Gobi for legislation relative to monthly minimum reliability contributions. Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 2182 OF 2021-2022.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court (2023-2024)

An Act relative to monthly minimum reliability contributions.

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 139 of Chapter 164 of the General Laws, as amended by Section 9

2 of Chapter 75 of the Acts of 2016, is hereby amended by striking the first sentence of the third

- 3 paragraph of subsection (j) and inserting in place thereof the following:-
- 4 The department shall exempt from any monthly minimum reliability contribution the
- 5 following: municipal ratepayers, low-income ratepayers, community solar ratepayers, and
- 6 owners of small-scale solar projects of 25 kilowatts or less.