

HOUSE No. 3700

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Steven S. Howitt

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 promoting price transparency for electric vehicle charging stations.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Steven S. Howitt</i>	<i>4th Bristol</i>	<i>1/16/2025</i>

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By Representative Howitt of Seekonk, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3700) of Steven S. Howitt relative to electric vehicle charging stations. Transportation.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**

An Act promoting price transparency for electric vehicle charging stations.

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 94 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition, is hereby
2 amended by inserting, after section 295C, the following new section:-

3 Section 295CC: Display of Price of Electricity on Public Electric Vehicle Charging
4 Stations

5 A retail provider of electricity for electric vehicle (EV) charging shall publicly display
6 and maintain on each public electric vehicle charging station or other dispensing device from
7 which electricity is sold, at least one sign, clearly visible, stating the price per kilowatt-hour
8 (kWh) of electricity sold from that station or device. A sign shall be not less than 8 inches by 10
9 inches in size.

10 The price shown on a sign shall include all taxes imposed with respect to the sale of
11 electricity at that public electric vehicle charging station or device and shall contain either a
12 statement of the taxes included in the price or, without specifying the amount of the taxes, shall

13 state that such taxes are included in the price. All figures, including fractions, on a sign, other
14 than figures and fractions used in a price computing mechanism and constituting a part of the
15 charging station, shall be the same size.

16 No sign, advertising material, or other display or product that is placed upon, above, or
17 around a public electric vehicle charging station shall directly or indirectly obscure the posted
18 price sign as required by the preceding paragraph.