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February 9, 2026

RE: Annual Report on Timely Action, Fees and Program Improvements

The Honorable Aaron Michlewitz  
Chair, House Committee on Ways and Means  
State House, Room 243  
Boston, MA 02133

The Honorable Michael Rodrigues  
Chair, Senate Committee on Ways and Means  
State House, Room 212  
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The Honorable Christine Barber  
House Chair, Joint Committee on  
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State House, Room 136  
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Senate Chair, Joint Committee on  
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State House, Room 215  
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Chair Michlewitz, Chair Rodrigues, Chair Barber, and Chair Rausch,

Attached, please find the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection's report to the legislature on Timely Action, Fees, and Program Improvements, filed pursuant to Section 18 of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 21A.

Sincerely,

Bonnie Heiple  
Commissioner  
Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection