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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Karyn E. Polito**

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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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to wind energy.

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PETITION OF:

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to wind energy.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

Section 1. Chapter 40A of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 9C the following section:-

Section 9D. Zoning ordinance or by-laws regulating the installation and operation of wind turbines shall not unreasonably limit such installation or unreasonably hinder the performance of such installations.