#### **HOUSE** . No.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Lori Ehrlich

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 to Reduce Coal Burning and Use.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Lori Ehrlich	8th Essex
Matthew C. Patrick	3rd Barnstable
Katherine Clark	32nd Middlesex
Peter v. Kocot	1st Hampshire
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex
William N. Brownsberger	24th Middlesex
Michael F. Rush	10th Suffolk
Barbara A. L'Italien	18th Essex
Stephen L. DiNatale	3rd Worcester
Steven J. D'Amico	4th Bristol

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In	the	Year	Two	Thousand	and	Nine

### AN ACT TO REDUCE COAL BURNING AND USE.

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. Chapter 164 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby
- 2 amended by inserting after section 69I the following section:
- 4 Section 691½

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- 5 Notwithstanding the provisions of this chapter or any law to the contrary, a facility constructed or
- 6 commencing operation on and after January first, two thousand ten shall not utilize or gasify coal.