

HOUSE No. 03056

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Patricia A. Haddad

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 clarifying the eligibility of fuel cells for class one renewable portfolio status.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Patricia A. Haddad

5th Bristol

Shaunna O'Connell

3rd Bristol

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By Ms. Haddad of Somerset, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3056) of O'Connell and Haddad for legislation to classify refuse derived fuels from the processing of post-recycled municipal solid waste as renewable fuels Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act clarifying the eligibility of fuel cells for class one renewable portfolio status.

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. Paragraph 2 of section 11F of chapter 25A of the General Laws, as appearing in
2 the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the words “renewable fuels;”, in
3 lines 25 and 26, the following words:- including refuse derived fuels from the processing of post-
4 recycled municipal solid waste.

5 SECTION 2. Paragraph 3 of section 11F of chapter 25A of the General Laws, as appearing in
6 the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the words “renewable fuels;”, in
7 line 53, the following:- including fuel cells that use a gas produced from refuse derived fuels
8 provided, however, that where the refuse derived fuel source is processed municipal solid waste,
9 this section shall only apply if the same is post-recycled municipal solid waste.