

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4733**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***William C. Galvin***

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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 adoption of the accompanying order

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*William C. Galvin*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*6th Norfolk*

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*House of Representatives,*

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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1           *Ordered,* That, notwithstanding the provisions of any rule to the contrary, amendments to  
2 House Bill No. 4575, “An Act to increase renewable energy and reduce high-cost peak hours”,  
3 House Bill No. 4576, “An Act to improve grid resiliency through energy storage”, House Bill  
4 No. 3404, “An Act relative to expanding resource efficiency in the Commonwealth” or substitute  
5 texts recommended for or offered to the subject matters contained therein, shall be properly filed  
6 with the Clerk of the House in electronic format to be determined by the Clerk as directed by the  
7 Speaker prior to nine o’clock A.M. on Thursday, July 12, 2018, except for perfecting or  
8 consolidating amendments offered by the committee on Ways and Means; provided that the  
9 Clerk shall notify by electronic communication the primary sponsor of each amendment of the  
10 receipt of such amendment and the number assigned by said Clerk to said amendment; provided  
11 further, that the Clerk shall print each amendment so filed electronically; and such printed copy  
12 shall be considered to be the official amendment; and be it further

13           Ordered, That, except for perfecting or consolidated amendments offered by the committee  
14 on Ways and Means, no proposition on a subject different from the amendment under  
15 consideration shall be admitted under color of a further amendment, except that, notwithstanding  
16 the provisions of Rule 20A, any member may remove his or her amendment from the  
17 consolidated amendment and offer it as an amendment in the first degree, to be acted upon  
18 before action is taken on the consolidated amendment; provided further, that, notwithstanding the  
19 provisions of House Rule 74, consolidated amendments may not be divided; and be it further

20           Ordered, That, any amendment not complying with the provisions of the special rules of  
21 procedure stated herein shall be considered withdrawn.