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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Frank I. Smizik

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 bill:

An Act establishing tracking and reporting requirements for Massachusetts transportation fuels and associated greenhouse gas emissions.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Frank I. Smizik	15th Norfolk
Marc R. Pacheco	First Plymouth and Bristol
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester
Jonathan Hecht	29th Middlesex
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk
Jason M. Lewis	Fifth Middlesex
Gloria L. Fox	7th Suffolk
Michael J. Barrett	Third Middlesex
Michelle M. DuBois	10th Plymouth
Peter V. Kocot	1st Hampshire
Brian M. Ashe	2nd Hampden
Cynthia S. Creem	First Middlesex and Norfolk
Benjamin Swan	11th Hampden
Mary S. Keefe	15th Worcester
Jay R. Kaufman	15th Middlesex
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex

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By Mr. Smizik of Brookline, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 754) of Frank I. Smizik and others for legislation to compute and track the individual and collective lifecycle greenhouse gas emissions of all fuels. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act establishing tracking and reporting requirements for Massachusetts transportation fuels and associated greenhouse gas emissions.

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. The Department of Environmental Protection shall promulgate regulations
- 2 requiring producers, importers, and wholesale distributors that sell, supply, or offer for sale
- 3 transportation fuels in Massachusetts to report all Massachusetts transportation fuel sales, and the
- 4 source of any fuel sold, to the Department of Environmental Protection. The regulations shall
- 5 require the Department of Environmental Protection to compute and track the individual and
- 6 collective lifecycle greenhouse gas emissions of all fuels, as well as the carbon intensity of each
- 7 fuel, that are reported by regulated entities on an annual basis.
- 8 SECTION 2. All sales, lifecycle greenhouse gas emissions, and carbon intensity data
- 9 collected or computed by the Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to the
- 10 regulations required by Section 1 shall be published by the Department in an annual report that is
- 11 available to the public.

- SECTION 3. The regulations required by Section 1 shall be promulgated within 180 days
- 13 of passage of this Act, and must take effect within 180 days of promulgation.