

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 00864**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Kevin G. Honan*

*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 promote solar hot water installations.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

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By Mr. Kevin G. Honan of Boston, petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 00864) of Kevin G. Honan directing the State Board of Building Regulations and Standards to hold a public hearing to address various applications of solar thermal technology . Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
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□ , NO. 3084 OF 2009-2010.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act promote solar hot water installations.

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

- 1 Pursuant to chapter 30A and chapter 143, §§94 and 97 of the general laws, the State
- 2 Board of Building Regulations and Standards shall hold a public hearing to determine whether to
- 3 amend the Building Code (780 CMR 73) to address applications of solar thermal technology
- 4 beyond domestic hot water applications to include swimming pool heating, space heating and
- 5 industrial process heat.