

HOUSE No. 3273

By Mr. Binienda of Worcester, petition of John J. Binienda and others relative to energy efficient appliances. Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

John J. Binienda	Stephen M. Brewer
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In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO ENERGY EFFICIENT APPLIANCES.

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 19 of chapter 25 of the General Laws, as appearing in the
- 2 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding in line 4, after
- 3 the word “programs” the following sentence:—
- 4 Energy efficient activities shall also include a program to provide
- 5 consumers with a rebate at the time of purchase of 5% of the pur-
- 6 chase price for clothes washers, refrigerators or dishwashers which
- 7 meet or exceed applicable energy savings requirements developed
- 8 by the United States Department of Energy for the Energy Star pro-
- 9 gram.