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VIA EMAIL AND HAND DELIVERY

May 10, 2022

Steven T. James, Clerk of the House of Representatives  
24 Beacon Street  
Room 145  
Boston, MA 02133

RE: Submission of DOER regulations for Fossil Fuel-Free demonstration project

Dear Mr. Clerk:

On behalf of the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER) and in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 25A Section 12, please find enclosed the draft regulations for the Fossil Fuel-Free demonstration project as required by Section 84 of Chapter 179 of the Acts of 2022.

In addition to the requirements of M.G.L. Ch. 25A Sec. 12, DOER has made additional information, including response to public comments received, available to the public regarding these draft regulations. That information is accessible through the Department's website: <https://www.mass.gov/info-details/municipal-fossil-fuel-free-building-demonstration-program>

Please direct questions and comments on this regulation to:

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elizabeth Mahony". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Elizabeth Mahony  
Commissioner

CC:

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Chairman Jeffrey Roy, Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy