

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jason M. Lewis

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 relative to energy efficient marijuana cultivation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>	
<i>Steven Ultrino</i>	<i>33rd Middlesex</i>	<i>1/26/2017</i>

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act relative to energy efficient marijuana cultivation.

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 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the secretary of
2 energy and environmental affairs, in consultation with the commissioner of energy resources, the
3 commissioner of environmental protection and the commissioner of agricultural resources, shall
4 make recommendations for energy and water use efficiency for licensed marijuana cultivators in
5 the commonwealth.

6 The secretary shall file the recommendations as a report with the house and senate chairs
7 of the joint committee on telecommunications, utilities and energy, the house and senate chairs
8 of the joint committee on marijuana and the clerks of the house of representatives and the senate
9 by January 15, 2018. The cannabis control commission shall promulgate regulations based on
10 these recommendations.