

SENATE No. 1898

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Scott P. Brown

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 to reduce car emissions

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Scott P. Brown	Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex
Richard R. Tisei	Middlesex and Essex
Bruce E. Tarr	First Essex and Middlesex
Robert L. Hedlund	Plymouth and Norfolk
Michael R. Knapik	Second Hampden and Hampshire

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT TO REDUCE CAR EMISSIONS.

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 Executive
2 Office of Transportation and Public Works in consultation with the Executive Office of Energy
3 and Environmental Affairs shall, in order to prevent unnecessary vehicle idling, and thus
4 excessive auto emissions, shall examine the possibility of removing all traffic signs that read no
5 turn on red. Where it is determined that the sign is not required for traffic safety reasons, the
6 signs shall be removed.