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State Ethics Commission
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Dear Commissioners:

I am writing to you to disclose that I have a solar unit installed on my house, that I participate in the Solar Renewable Energy Certificate (SREC) market, and that I am eligible to receive net metering credits through NSTAR.

The House is considering House, No. 4185—An Act relative to net metering and solar power. If adopted, legislation relative to these topics would arguably have an effect on my financial interests which is different from the effect on the general public.

I make this disclosure pursuant to G.L. c. 268A, s. 6A and consider it public in nature.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. M. Straus".

WILLIAM M. STRAUS
State Representative