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The Honorable Scott Wiener
California State Senate
State Capitol, Room 4066
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: SB 1399 (Wiener) – SUPPORT

MISSION:

To accelerate
clean technology
innovation and
adoption of sustainable
business practices
for the benefit of
the economy and
the environment

Dear Senator Wiener:

On behalf of Cleantech San Diego, please accept this letter of support for SB 1399. We appreciate your authoring this important piece of legislation.

As you know, SB 1399 will increase access to clean energy resources and positively impact our local environment while benefitting our local economy.

Cleantech San Diego is a nonprofit business organization that positions the greater San Diego region as a global leader in the cleantech economy. We support the cleantech industry by fostering collaborations across the private-public-academic landscape, leading advocacy efforts to promote cleantech priorities, and encouraging investment in the San Diego region.

California has long been a world leader in the clean energy economy and has made great strides in sustainable development and climate action around the state. However, many non-residential customers are unable to install distributed energy resources that will reduce energy costs, create local jobs, and reduce air pollution in our local communities because of physical constraints like suitable roof space or available land. SB 1399 will allow for more clean energy development to occur directly in the communities where we all live and work.

Thank you for your efforts to support the increase in access to clean energy for all Californians and build upon the state's climate and sustainability goals.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jason Anderson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Jason Anderson
President and CEO
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