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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

29, 2023, as

Ms. Collins submitte	ed the following re	esolution; which	n was	referred	to	$th\epsilon$
Com	mittee on					

## **RESOLUTION**

- Designating the week of September 25 through September 29, 2023, as "National Clean Energy Week".
- Whereas, across the United States, clean and readily abundant forms of energy are powering more homes and businesses than ever before;
- Whereas clean energy generation is readily available from zero- and low-emissions sources;
- Whereas the clean energy sector is a growing part of the economy and has been a key driver of economic growth in the United States in recent years;
- Whereas technological innovation can further reduce costs, enhance reliability, and increase deployment of clean energy sources;

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Whereas the report of the Department of Energy entitled "United States Energy & Employment Report 2023" found that, at the end of 2022, the energy and energy efficiency sectors in the United States employed approximately 8,100,000 individuals;

- Whereas the scaling of affordable and exportable clean energy is essential to reducing global emissions;
- Whereas clean energy jobs contribute to the growth of local economies; and

Whereas innovative clean energy solutions and clean energy jobs are part of the energy future of the United States: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved, That the Senate—
- 2 (1) designates the week of September 25
- 3 through September 29, 2023, as "National Clean
- 4 Energy Week";
- 5 (2) encourages individuals and organizations
- 6 across the United States to support commonsense
- 7 solutions that address the economic, environmental,
- 8 and energy needs of the United States in the 21st
- 9 century;
- 10 (3) encourages the Federal Government, States,
- municipalities, and individuals to invest in afford-
- able, clean, and low-emitting energy technologies;
- 13 (4) supports reliable and affordable energy for
- the people of the United States; and

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1 (5) recognizes the role of entrepreneurs and 2 small businesses in ensuring the leadership of the 3 United States in the global energy marketplace and 4 in supporting low-cost, clean, and reliable energy in 5 the United States.