HOUSE No. 1539

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Elizabeth A. Poirier

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 providing for interstate criminal offender records be made available to certain persons and agencies.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Elizabeth A. Poirier	14th Bristol
Paul R. Heroux	2nd Bristol
Keiko M. Orrall	12th Bristol
Timothy R. Whelan	1st Barnstable
Susannah M. Whipps Lee	2nd Franklin
Donald H. Wong	9th Essex

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By Mrs. Poirier of North Attleborough, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1539) of Elizabeth A. Poirier and others for legislation to provide that interstate criminal offender records be made available to certain persons and agencies. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 1563 OF 2013-2014.]

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act providing for interstate criminal offender records be made available to certain persons and agencies.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. Chapter 6 of the 2012 General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after
- 2 section 174 the following section:-
- 3 Section 174A. Any person, an employee or volunteer or who contracts with any agency
- 4 or department within the realm of health and human services or has contact with any children
- 5 shall have his interstate criminal offender record information made available to his employer or
- 6 the agency or department who has made a contract or the person, agency or department to which
- 7 he has volunteered his services.