

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3415**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Shaunna L. O'Connell***

*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 relative to victim access to sex offender information.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Shaunna L. O'Connell</i>	<i>3rd Bristol</i>
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>
<i>Steven S. Howitt</i>	<i>4th Bristol</i>

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By Mrs. O'Connell of Taunton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3415) of Shaunna L. O'Connell and others relative to victim access to sex offender information. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 921 OF 2017-2018.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to victim access to sex offender information.

*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 178I of chapter 6, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition, is hereby amended  
2 by inserting after the word “offender”, in line 15, the following words: -- ; provided, however,  
3 that prior to the final classification by the board the victim of said sex offender, or the  
4 parent/guardian of the victim, may obtain the following information regarding the sex offender:  
5 (1) the home address and any secondary address, (2) the work address, (3) a photograph of the  
6 sex offender, if available, and (4) the name and address of the institution of higher learning  
7 where the sex offender works or is enrolled as a student.