SENATE No. 737

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cynthia S. Creem

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 improving juror service.

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Cynthia S. CreemFirst Middlesex and Norfolk

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By Ms. Creem, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 737) of Cynthia S. Creem for legislation to improve juror service. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 670 OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act improving juror service.

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. Section 58 of chapter 234A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence and inserting in place
- 3 thereof the following sentences:- The office of jury commissioner shall provide juror service
- 4 certificates to all grand and trial jurors who perform juror service. Such certificates shall be
- 5 provided no later than 14 days after the last business day of each week in which a grand or trial
- 6 juror performs jury service.