

HOUSE No. 1639

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul Tucker

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 Arrest Warrants.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Paul Tucker</i>	<i>7th Essex</i>
<i>Carmine L. Gentile</i>	<i>13th Middlesex</i>
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>
<i>Barbara A. L'Italien</i>	<i>Second Essex and Middlesex</i>
<i>Paul R. Heroux</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>Leah Cole</i>	<i>12th Essex</i>
<i>Theodore C. Speliotis</i>	<i>13th Essex</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>

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By Mr. Tucker of Salem, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1639) of Paul Tucker and others relative to the issuance of a summons instead of a warrant for misdemeanors. The Judiciary.

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

An Act Relative to Arrest Warrants.

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 1. Section 24 of chapter 276 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 deleting the word “offense” and inserting in place thereof the word “misdemeanor.”