

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 1347

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

***Michael J. Moran***

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*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 authorizing recording of conversations during investigations.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Michael J. Moran</i>	<i>18th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/20/2011</i>

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By Mr. Moran of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1347) of Michael J. Moran relative to authorizing the recording of conversations during certain investigations. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1529 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven  
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An Act authorizing recording of conversations during investigations.

*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. Subsection D of section 99 of chapter 272 of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by inserting, after paragraph 2 (e), the following paragraph: -

3           (f) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, a law enforcement official  
4 conducting an authorized investigation into a crime against a person or for arson may conduct a  
5 one party recording with a suspect in a police facility which had clear and conspicuous notices  
6 that conversations concerning crimes against a person or for arson may be recorded in said  
7 facility without an additional notice after the individual has given his Miranda warnings.