

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John V. Fernandes

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 the sealing of criminal records.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
John V. Fernandes	10th Worcester	1/9/2013
David M. Nangle	17th Middlesex	

By Mr. Fernandes of Milford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1311) of John V. Fernandes and David M. Nangle for legislation to establish a fee for requests to seal criminal records. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2168 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to the sealing of criminal records.

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. The first sentence of section 100A of chapter 276 of the General Laws, as

appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following words: ;provided, however, that the person making the request shall pay an administrative fee to the

4 office of the commissioner of probation in the amount of \$50 per case file .

5 SECTON 2. The first sentence of section 100B of said chapter 276 of the General Laws, 6 as so appearing, is hereby amended by adding the following words:- ;provided, however, that 7 the person making the request shall pay an administrative fee to the office of the commissioner 9 of production in the amount of \$50 per ease file

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