

HOUSE No. 1236

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Tackey Chan

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 juvenile intimidation of witnesses.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>	<i>1/15/2015</i>
<i>Michael Morrissey</i>	<i>Office of the Norfolk District Attorney 45 Shawmut Road Canton, MA 02021</i>	<i>1/15/2015</i>
<i>Bruce J. Ayers</i>	<i>1st Norfolk</i>	<i>1/29/2015</i>
<i>James M. Cantwell</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/28/2015</i>
<i>Stephen L. DiNatale</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>	<i>2/3/2015</i>
<i>Louis L. Kafka</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>	<i>2/3/2015</i>
<i>John H. Rogers</i>	<i>12th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/29/2015</i>
<i>Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.</i>	<i>28th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/13/2019</i>
<i>Walter F. Timilty</i>	<i>7th Norfolk</i>	<i>9/13/2019</i>
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/13/2019</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/13/2019</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	<i>9/13/2019</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/13/2019</i>

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By Mr. Chan of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1236) of Tackey Chan and others relative to juvenile intimidation of witnesses, jurors and persons furnishing information in connection with criminal proceedings. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1249 OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to juvenile intimidation of witnesses.

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. Chapter 119 of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby amended in the
2 third paragraph of section 54 by adding after the words “chapter two hundred and sixty-nine,” in
3 first sentence the following:- or the person has committed a violation of section thirteen B of
4 chapter two hundred and sixty-eight,

5 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its passage.