

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jason M. Lewis, (BY REQUEST)

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 reforming the judicial system.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Norma Powell

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

95 Audubon Rd., 314 Wakefield, MA 01880

SENATE No.

By Mr. Lewis (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No.) of Norma Powell for legislation to reform the judicial system. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act reforming the judicial system.

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 3 of Chapter 211 of the Massachusetts General Laws, as appearing
2 in the 2014 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after word "controversy" in line 19,
3 the following words:-

4 "; and provided further that any rules issued to govern receivers must incorporate the
5 rules that govern receivers in the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and may not expand or
6 elaborate on those provisions."

7 SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, any rule issued
8 to govern receivers that does not incorporate the rules that govern receivers in the Federal Rules
9 of Civil Procedure, or that expands or elaborates upon those provisions, is invalid.