

SENATE No. 1102

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John F. Keenan

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 to expand addiction treatment within houses of correction.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>John F. Keenan</i>	<i>Norfolk and Plymouth</i>	
<i>Michael G. Bellotti, Norfolk County Sheriff</i>	<i>200 West St., Dedham, MA 02127</i>	
<i>Adam G. Hinds</i>	<i>Berkshire, Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden</i>	<i>2/1/2017</i>
<i>Carlos González</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>

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By Mr. Keenan, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1102) of John F. Keenan, Michael G. Bellotti, Norfolk County Sheriff, Adam G. Hinds and Carlos Gonzalez for legislation to expand addiction treatment within houses of correction. Mental Health, Substance Use and Recovery.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act to expand addiction treatment within houses of correction.

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. Subject to appropriation, the department of public health, in consultation
2 with the bureau of substance abuse services and the Massachusetts Sheriffs’ Association, shall
3 create an extended-release injectable naltrexone pilot program for individuals with opioid or
4 alcohol addiction in houses of correction. The purpose of the program shall be to facilitate,
5 through grant funding to at least two county sheriffs’ offices, multiple administrations of
6 extended-release injectable naltrexone in series to persons with upcoming release dates,
7 beginning not less than 6 months prior to their release. The department shall collect outcomes
8 data for such programs on an ongoing basis, in a manner substantially similar to the data
9 collection described in section 158 of chapter 46 of the acts of 2015.