

SENATE No. 857

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jennifer L. Flanagan

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 solicitation of murder.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Jennifer L. Flanagan

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Worcester and Middlesex

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By Ms. Flanagan, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 857) of Jennifer L. Flanagan for legislation relative to the solicitation of murder. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 822 OF 2015-2016.]

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

An Act relative to the solicitation of murder.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 265 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby amended by inserting after
2 section 15F the following section:- Section 15G. Any person who, with the intent that another
3 commit murder, solicits, counsels, advises or otherwise entices another to commit murder shall
4 be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for not more than 20 years, or by imprisonment
5 in the house of correction for not more than 2½ years and a fine of not more than \$1,000.