

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Edward R. Philips, (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 relative to wiretapping in the Commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Michael Hyde</i>	<i>148 Brickel Rd Stoughton MA 02072</i>	<i>8/31/2021</i>

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By Mr. Philips of Sharon (by request), a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Michael Hyde for legislation to further regulate wiretapping. The Judiciary.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court
(2021-2022)**

An Act relative to wiretapping in the Commonwealth.

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. Subparagraph 1 of paragraph D of section 99 of chapter 272 of the Genera l
2 Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following
3 clause:- g. for a person not acting under color of law to intercept a wire communication
4 containing a person's speech or oral communication where such person is a party to the
5 communication or where one of the parties to the communication has given prior consent to such
6 interception.