

SENATE No. 1128

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Rebecca L. Rausch

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 expanding confidentiality protections to certain sexual assault counselors.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Rebecca L. Rausch

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex

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By Ms. Rausch, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1128) of Rebecca L. Rausch for legislation to expand confidentiality protections to certain sexual assault counselors. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 2491 OF 2019-2020.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act expanding confidentiality protections to certain sexual assault counselors.

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 20J of Chapter 233 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2018 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “worker,” in line 10, the following
- 3 words:- “licensed mental health counselor.”.