

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1619**

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Tackey Chan***

*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 Trial Court data collection.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Tackey Chan</i>	<i>2nd Norfolk</i>	<i>1/17/2025</i>
<i>Michael Morrissey</i>	<i>Massachusetts District Attorneys Association, 99 Summer Street, Boston, MA 02110</i>	<i>1/17/2025</i>
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By Representative Chan of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1619) of Tackey Chan and others relative to Trial Court age, gender and race data collection. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1422 OF 2023-2024.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act relative to Trial Court data collection.

*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 9 of Chapter 211B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof the following:- “(xxv) the  
3 responsibility to collect and maintain offense information, race, gender, and age data of persons  
4 before the court accused of a crime, and to provide such data publicly.”