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HOUSE . . . . . No. 1846

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kate Lipper-Garabedian

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 bringing the crime of leaving the scene of personal injury causing death within the jurisdiction of the district court.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Kate Lipper-Garabedian	*32nd Middlesex*	*1/16/2025*
Middlesex District Attorney Marian Ryan	*15 Commonwealth Avenue, Worburn, MA*	*1/16/2025*

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By Representative Lipper-Garabedian of Melrose, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1846) of Kate Lipper-Garabedian and Middlesex District Attorney Marian Ryan for legislation to bring the crime of leaving the scene of personal injury causing death within the jurisdiction of the district court. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. *1637* OF 2023-2024.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)

An Act bringing the crime of leaving the scene of personal injury causing death within the jurisdiction of the district court.

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

Section 26 of chapter 218 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2020 official edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after the words “subparagraph (1) of paragraph (a) of subdivision (1) of section twenty-four,” in lines 11-12, the following words:- subparagraph (2) of paragraph (a½) of subdivision (2) of section twenty-four,