

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mike Connolly

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 facilitating access to justice in the city of Cambridge.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Mike Connolly</i>	<i>26th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/17/2025</i>

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)
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An Act facilitating access to justice in the city of Cambridge.

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

1 Notwithstanding any other general or special law to the contrary, in any decision to lease,
2 sell or otherwise dispose of the former probate court space in the Middlesex South registry of
3 deeds building, the commissioner of capital asset management and maintenance shall consider
4 and prioritize the needs of the executive office of the trial court for building space in the city of
5 Cambridge. If the executive office of the trial court demonstrates to the commissioner a need for
6 the use of the building space or any portion thereof, the commissioner shall sell or lease such
7 space to the executive office.