

SENATE No. 1089

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Ryan C. Fattman

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 strengthening identity theft laws.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>Worcester and Hampden</i>	
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	<i>2/27/2025</i>

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By Mr. Fattman, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1089) of Ryan C. Fattman and Bruce E. Tarr for legislation to strengthen the identity law. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 961 OF 2023-2024.]

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

An Act strengthening identity theft laws.

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. Section 37E of chapter 266 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 26, the figure “\$5,000” and inserting
3 in place thereof the following figure:- \$10,000.

4 SECTION 2. Said section 37E of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby amended by
5 striking out, in line 27, the words “two and one-half” and inserting in place thereof the following
6 word:- ten.

7 SECTION 3. Said section 37E of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby amended by
8 striking out, in line 38, the figure “\$5,000” and inserting in place thereof the following figure:-
9 \$10,000.

10 SECTION 4. Said section 37E of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby amended by
11 striking out, in line 39 the words “two and one-half” and inserting in place thereof the following
12 word:- ten.