

SENATE No.

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 relative to dangerousness hearings.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Ryan C. Fattman

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Worcester and Hampden

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 962 OF 2023-2024.]

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

An Act relative to dangerousness hearings.

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 58A of chapter 276, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition, is hereby amended
2 by inserting after subsection (8) the following subsection:-

3 (9) If an individual is charged for the second time with an offense listed in subsection (1)
4 the commonwealth shall move, based on dangerousness, for an order of pretrial detention under
5 subsection (3) or release on conditions under subsection (2).