

HOUSE No. 950

By Mr. Cohen of Brookline, petition of Beryl W. Cohen that persons complained of for misdemeanors be allowed to be heard personally or by counsel in opposition to the issuance of any process based on such complaint. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Three.

AN ACT ALLOWING PERSONS COMPLAINED OF FOR MISDEMEANORS TO BE HEARD PERSONALLY OR BY COUNSEL IN OPPOSITION TO THE ISSUANCE OF ANY PROCESS BASED ON SUCH COMPLAINT.

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 35A of chapter 218 of the General Laws, as amended
2 by chapter 293 of the acts of 1945, is hereby further amended
3 by striking out, in lines 7 and 8, the words: — “, upon request
4 in writing, seasonably made,”.

