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SENATE No. 287

By Mr. Walsh, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 287) of Joseph B. Walsh for legislation to provide for certain mandatory jail sentencing for possession with intent to sell or sale of certain controlled substances. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-three.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN MANDATORY JAIL SENTENCING FOR POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO SELL OR SALE OF CERTAIN CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.

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

1 Chapter 94C of the General Laws is hereby amended by
2 inserting after section 32, the following section: —

3 *Section 32A.* Any person who sells or possesses with intent
4 to sell a controlled substance as listed in section thirty-two
5 shall be punished by a mandatory imprisonment of one year
6 for each one thousand dollars in illegal sales value (street
7 value) such substance represents. Any sentence so imposed
8 shall not be suspended nor shall any person so convicted be
9 eligible for probation, parole or furlough or receive any de-
10 duction from his sentence for good conduct. Prosecution un-
11 der this section shall neither be continued without a finding
12 nor placed on file by the court.

