

By Mr. Walsh of Peabody, petition of Thomas P. Walsh for legislation to require the reporting of certain sexual crimes. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-One.

AN ACT REQUIRING THE REPORTING OF CERTAIN SEXUAL CRIMES.

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 12A of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing
2 in the 1986 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after
3 "firearm," on line 4 the following: — "or examining or treating
4 a victim of rape or sexual assault" and by inserting after "located"
5 on line 12 the following: — "or, in the case of rape or sexual
6 assault, notification shall be made at once to the commissioner
7 of public safety and to the police of the town where the rape or
8 sexual assault occurred but shall not include the victim's name,
9 address, or any other identifying information. The report shall
10 include the general neighborhood where the attack occurred."

