

By Mr. Leary of Worcester, petition of James B. Leary and others for legislation to create the crime of solicitation. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

James B. Leary	Karyn E. Polito
John J. Conte	Robert F. Fennell
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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT TO CREATE THE CRIME OF SOLICITATION.

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 274 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2002
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended, by inserting, after section 3,
- 3 the following section:
- 4 Section 3A. Whoever attempts to cause another to commit a
- 5 crime, whether the crime is actually committed or not, shall be
- 6 guilty of the crime of solicitation and shall be punished in the
- 7 same manner as punishment for the crime of conspiracy contained
- 8 in section 7 of this chapter.

