

HOUSE No. 1706

By Mr. Rush of Boston, petition of Michael F. Rush relative to complaints against police officers. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT AGAINST FALSE COMPLAINTS AGAINST POLICE OFFICERS.

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

1 Notwithstanding any general or special law or rule or regula-
2 tion to the contrary, all official complaints filed against police
3 officers shall be signed by the person making the complaint and
4 done so under the pains and penalties of perjury.

