

By Mr. Kafka of Sharon, petition of Louis L. Kafka, William R. Keating and William C. Galvin for legislation to establish within the Criminal Justice Training Council a course of instruction for certain employees of the Department of Youth Services. Public Safety.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

AN ACT REQUIRING TRAINING FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH SERVICES.

*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 1. Section 116A of chapter 6 of the General Laws,  
2 as appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, is hereby amended by  
3 adding the following paragraph: —

4 (g) The Massachusetts criminal justice training council shall  
5 establish a course of instruction in accordance with the provisions  
6 of section ten of chapter eighteen A.

1 SECTION 2. Chapter 18A of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by adding the following section: —

3 Section 10. Every person employed by the department, directly  
4 or indirectly, whose duties require contact with persons in the care  
5 of the department or receiving services of the department shall,  
6 prior to exercising any such duties, successfully complete a course  
7 of instruction as prescribed by the Massachusetts criminal justice  
8 training council. Said course of instruction, including learning and  
9 performance objectives and standards for training, shall be  
10 developed by the Massachusetts criminal justice training council,  
11 in consultation with the department.

