

[Similar Matter Filed During Past Session —
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SENATE No. 184

By Ms. Murray, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 184) of
Therese Murray, Thomas J. O'Brien, Andrea F. Nuciforo, Jr., Marian
Walsh and Nancy J. Caffyn for legislation relative to criminal sentencing
procedures. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RIGHTS OF VICTIMS OF 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 3(q) of Chapter 258B of the Massachusetts General
- 2 Laws shall be amended to include the following language: —
- 3 “Victims and family members also shall receive a copy of the
- 4 defendant’s tender of plea, mittimus, and docket sheet.

