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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

### PRESENTED BY:

## Paul R. Heroux

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:* 

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to provide additional protection for minors from persons who has a sex offense case that has been continued without a finding.

#### PETITION OF:

 NAME:
 DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

 Paul R. Heroux
 2nd Bristol

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By Mr. Heroux of Attleboro, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1373) of Paul R. Heroux for legislation to provide protection for minors from persons who have had a sex offense case that has been continued without a finding. The Judiciary.

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act to provide additional protection for minors from persons who has a sex offense case that has been continued without a finding.

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 of chapter 123A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition,

- 2 is hereby amended by inserting after the word "chapter 272" in line 79, the following words: "or
- 3 a person having been charged with a sex offense on a minor who has a case that has been
- 4 continued without finding pursuant to section 18 of chapter 278"