

HOUSE No. 1711

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

James J. O'Day

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 relative to the identity of victims of certain crimes.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>James J. O'Day</i>	<i>14th Worcester</i>	<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>Daniel M. Donahue</i>	<i>16th Worcester</i>	<i>2/2/2023</i>

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By Representative O'Day of West Boylston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1711) of James J. O'Day and Daniel M. Donahue relative to the identity of victims of certain crimes. The Judiciary.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act relative to the identity of victims of certain 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 1. Section 97D of chapter 41 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2020
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “209A” in line 3, the following
3 words:- , all reports of disseminating harmful matter that is obscene, as defined in section 31 of
4 chapter 272, to a minor pursuant to section 28 of said chapter 272, posing a child in a state of
5 nudity pursuant to section 29A of said chapter 272, possessing child pornography pursuant to
6 section 29C of said chapter 272, or photographing, videotaping or electronically surveilling a
7 partially nude or nude person or the sexual or other intimate parts of a person around the
8 person’s clothing pursuant to section 105 of said chapter 272.

9 SECTION 2. Section 24C of chapter 265 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby
10 amended by inserting after the words “sixty-five”, in line 7, the following words:- , an arrest,
11 investigation or complaint for disseminating harmful matter that is obscene, as defined in section
12 31 of chapter 272, to a minor pursuant to section 28 of said chapter 272, posing a child in a state

13 of nudity pursuant to section 29A of said chapter 272, possessing child pornography pursuant to
14 section 29C of said chapter 272 or photographing, videotaping or electronically surveilling a
15 partially nude or nude person or the sexual or other intimate parts of a person around the
16 person's clothing pursuant to section 105 of said chapter 272.