

HOUSE No. 2607

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Lenny Mirra

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 regarding free tuition for students seeking a degree in criminal justice.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Lenny Mirra</i> | <i>2nd Essex</i> | <i>1/11/2023</i> |

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By Representative Mirra of Georgetown, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2607) of Lenny Mirra for legislation to authorize tuition reimbursements for students seeking a degree in criminal justice. Public Service.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2734 OF 2021-2022.]

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

An Act regarding free tuition for students seeking a degree in criminal justice.

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 to the contrary, an individual pursuing a
2 degree in criminal justice or a certificate in law enforcement at any college or university in the
3 Commonwealth shall receive from the Commonwealth full tuition reimbursement for his or her
4 course of studies.