

**HOUSE . . . . . No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

**Bradford R. Hill**

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*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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to taping and broadcasting legislative committee hearings.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Bradford R. Hill	4th Essex
Bruce E. Tarr	

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine  
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## AN ACT RELATIVE TO TAPING AND BROADCASTING LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE HEARINGS.

*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. Chapter 3 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 37 the  
2 following section:-

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4           Section 37A. All committee hearings shall be videotaped and made available to community  
5 access cable networks for public viewing on public television or local access cable.

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7           SECTION 2. Section 11A of chapter 30A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is  
8 hereby amended by striking out in line 16 and 17 the words "the general court or the committees or  
9 recess commissions thereof or"