

**SENATE . . . . . No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

**Karen E. Spilka**

*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 to Permit the Setting of Both Cash Bail and Pretrial Conditions in Domestic Violence Matters.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Karen E. Spilka

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Second Middlesex and Norfolk

# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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## AN ACT TO PERMIT THE SETTING OF BOTH CASH BAIL AND PRETRIAL CONDITIONS IN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE MATTERS.

*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 42A of Chapter 276 of the General Laws as appearing in the 2006 official  
2 edition is hereby amended in line 7, after the words “terms of” by inserting the following: “bail  
3 or”.

4 SECTION 2. Section 58B of said chapter 276 is hereby amended in line 2 after the words  
5 “pursuant to” by inserting the following: “section 42A or”.

6 SECTION 3. Section 58B of said chapter 276 is hereby amended in line 2 after the words  
7 “section 58A”; by inserting the following: “or section 87”.