# COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY

SUFFOLK, SS.

NO. SJ-2019-0366

#### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

v.

#### RODERICK WEBBER

## MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMICUS BRIEF

OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION OF MASSACHUSETTS
AND THE MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF CRIMINAL DEFENES LAWYERS
IN SUPPORT OF THE PETITION

The American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts and the Massachusetts Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers respectfully move for leave to submit the enclosed brief as amicus curiae in support of the Commonwealth's petition in the above-captioned matter.

As grounds, the proposed amici state that the petition raises questions of public importance regarding the administration of the criminal justice system in the Commonwealth, and respectfully submit that their brief may be of assistance to the Court in addressing those questions.

The Commonwealth assents to this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION OF MASSACHUSETTS

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