



Petition in Support of Bill 9 – Mandatory Sexual Assault Law Training for Judicial Officers
To the Legislative Assembly of Ontario:

Whereas: according to YWCA only 33 of every 1000 sexual assaults are reported to the police,

Whereas: sexual assault survivors need to have faith in the judicial system,

Whereas: recent examples of comments made by judges in Canada erode confidence of sexual assault survivors in the judicial system,

Whereas: the Select Committee on Sexual Violence and Harassment provided 67 recommendations to address the issue of sexual violence and harassment in Ontario including providing training to judges to address systemic problems in our province,

Therefore: We the undersigned petition the Legislative Assembly to adopt Bill 9 *Mandatory Sexual Assault Law Training for Judicial Officers*.

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Please return to Sylvia Jones, MPP for presentation in the Ontario Legislature
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