

# **MASSACHUSETTS RULES OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE**

## **Rule 19(a). General**

### **DRAFT Reporter's Notes--2019**

This amendment to Mass. R. Crim. P. 19(a) makes minor stylistic edits to provide consistency with amendments to Mass. R. Crim. P. 19(b) that were made to implement *Commonwealth v. Bennefield*, 482 Mass. 250 (2019). No substantive changes are intended by this amendment.