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State looks to debate nightclub regulation bill

BOSTON -- The state legislature set to take up debate on "Imette's Law" -- a bill aimed at protecting patron safety at nightclubs.

The bill is named after Boston native Imette Saint-Guillen.

A nightclub employee allegedly murdered her in New York last year.

The law would require mandatory background checks for all bouncers as well as training for establishments with outstanding violations.

A former bouncer at The Falls, named Darry Littlejohn, is accused of raping and killing the Mission Hill native. He had an extensive criminal record.

The victim's family hopes the bill proposed by City Councilor Michael Flaherty will be passed.

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