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Accompanying the fourth recommendation of the Department of Education (House, No. 11). Education.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Five.

### RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION RELATING TO STATE AID FOR EDUCATION.

1 *Resolved*, That an unpaid special commission, to con-  
2 sist of two members of the senate to be designated by  
3 the president thereof, four members of the house of  
4 representatives to be designated by the speaker thereof,  
5 four members to be designated by the governor, one of  
6 whom shall be a superintendent of schools in a city, and  
7 one of whom shall be a superintendent of schools in a  
8 town, and the commissioner of education, or, if he so  
9 elects, an officer or employee in his department desig-  
10 nated by him to serve in his place on said commission.  
11 Said commission is hereby established for the purpose of  
12 making an investigation and study relative to all phases  
13 of the distribution of school funds to the three hundred  
14 and fifty-one municipalities, pursuant to the provisions  
15 of chapters seventy and seventy-one of the General  
16 Laws. Said commission shall be provided with quarters  
17 in the state house or elsewhere, may hold public hearings,  
18 and may expend for clerical and other services and ex-  
19 penses such sums as may be appropriated therefor. Said  
20 commission shall report to the general court the results  
21 of its investigation and study and its recommendations,  
22 if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to  
23 carry such recommendations into effect by filing the  
24 same with the clerk of the house of representatives not  
25 later than the first Wednesday of December of the  
26 current year.

