

HOUSE No. 3039

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, July 18, 1955.

The committee on Rules, to whom were referred the Resolutions (filed by Mr. Keenan of Boston) memorializing Congress to prevent the reduction in force of the United States Marine Corps (House, No. 3039), report that the same ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

JOHN F. THOMPSON.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

RESOLUTIONS MEMORIALIZING CONGRESS TO PREVENT THE REDUCTION IN FORCE OF THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS.

Whereas, The Secretary of Defense has proposed a reduction in the force of the United States Marine Corps; and

Whereas, The United States Marine Corps has established an outstanding record as part of the armed forces of the United States; and

Whereas, Any reduction in force of the marine corps at this time would be detrimental to the best interests of the United States of America; therefore be it

Resolved, That the house of representatives of the general court of Massachusetts urgently requests that the Congress of the United States take such action as may be necessary to prevent a reduction in force of the United States Marine Corps; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent by the secretary of the commonwealth to the President of the United States, to the Secretary of Defense, to the presiding officer of each branch of Congress, and to each of the members thereof from this commonwealth.

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Adopted.

LAWRENCE R. GROVE,
Clerk.