

HOUSE . . . . No. 3133

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, August 25, 1955.

The committee on Rules to whom were referred the Resolutions (filed by Messrs. Skerry of Medford, Wall of Lawrence and Brown of Boston) congratulating His Beatitude Maximos The Fourth, Patriarch of Antioch The East Alexandria and Jerusalem upon his first visit to this country (House, No. 3133), report that the same ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

JOHN F. THOMPSON.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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RESOLUTIONS CONGRATULATING HIS BEATITUDE MAXIMOS THE FOURTH, PATRIARCH OF ANTIOCH THE EAST ALEXANDRIA AND JERUSALEM UPON HIS FIRST VISIT TO THIS COUNTRY.

*Whereas*, His Beatitude Maximos the Fourth, Patriarch of Antioch The East Alexandria and Jerusalem has honored this commonwealth by his presence in his first visit to this country; and

*Whereas*, He is universally known for his piety, charity, learning and concern for the welfare of all people; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives of the General Court of Massachusetts hereby extends to His Beatitude Maximos the Fourth, Patriarch of Antioch The East Alexandria and Jerusalem sincere congratulations upon his visit to this commonwealth and wishes for him good health and continued success in his chosen work; and be it further

*Resolved*, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be forwarded by the secretary of the commonwealth to His Beatitude Maximos the Fourth, Patriarch of Antioch The East Alexandria and Jerusalem.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, August 25, 1955.

Adopted.

LAWRENCE R. GROVE,  
*Clerk.*