
By Mr. Hull of Rockport, petition of Richard L. Hull for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) of the discretionary powers of the Registrar of Motor Vehicles to revoke and suspend operators' licenses. Highways and Motor Vehicles.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY OF THE DISCRETIONARY POWERS OF THE REGISTRAR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, TO REVOKE AND SUSPEND OPERATORS' LICENSES.

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, three members of the house of
4 representatives to be designated by the speaker thereof,
5 and two members to be appointed by the governor, is
6 hereby established for the purpose of studying and in-
7 vestigating the discretionary powers of the registrar of
8 motor vehicles, with special reference to the discretion-
9 ary powers of the registrar under chapter ninety of the
10 General Laws to revoke and suspend licenses to operate
11 motor vehicles. Said commission may expend for cleri-
12 cal and other assistance and expenses such sums as may
13 hereafter be appropriated therefor. Said commission
14 shall be provided with quarters in the state house or
15 elsewhere, and may require by summons the presence
16 and testimony of witnesses and the production of books
17 and papers. The commission shall report to the gen-
18 eral court the results of its investigation and its recom-
19 mendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation
20 necessary to carry its recommendations into effect, by
21 filing its report with the clerk of the house of repre-
22 sentatives not later than the first Wednesday in Decem-
23 ber of the current year.

