

By Mr. Scibelli of Springfield, petition of Anthony M. Scibelli and Richard I. Furbush for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) of the advisability of purchasing, leasing or erecting a building in the Springfield area to house state agencies. State Administration.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION RELATIVE TO THE ADVISABILITY OF PURCHASING, LEASING OR ERECTING A BUILDING IN THE SPRINGFIELD AREA TO HOUSE THE VARIOUS BRANCHES OF THE STATE DEPARTMENTS LOCATED IN SAID AREA.

1 *Resolved*, That an unpaid special commission, to con-
2 sist of one member of the senate to be designated by
3 the president thereof, two members of the house of
4 representatives to be designated by the speaker thereof,
5 the chairman of the commission on administration and
6 finance and the state superintendent of buildings, is
7 hereby established for the purpose of making an in-
8 vestigation and study of the advisability of purchasing,
9 leasing or erecting a building in the city of Springfield
10 to house the various branches of the state departments
11 located in said city. Said commission shall be provided
12 with quarters in the state house or elsewhere, may hold
13 public hearings, may travel within the commonwealth,
14 and may expend for clerical and other services and ex-
15 penses such sums as may be appropriated therefor.
16 Said commission shall report to the general court the
17 results of its investigation and study, and its recom-
18 mendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation
19 necessary to carry such recommendations into effect,
20 by filing the same with the clerk of the house of repre-
21 sentatives on or before the first Wednesday of December
22 in the current year.

