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*The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

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SENATE, April 18, 1961.

The Senate committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the Senate Bill providing for a branch office of the Registry of Motor Vehicles in the town of Ware (Senate, No. 38); the Senate Bill requiring cities and certain towns to use voting machines at State elections and primaries (Senate, No. 170); the Senate Bill providing for a branch office of the Registry of Motor Vehicles in the city of Woburn (Senate, No. 196); the Senate Bill providing for the erection and maintenance of a recreational park at the westerly end of the Soldiers' Home in Massachusetts, Chelsea (Senate, No. 409); the Senate Bill relative to the salary of certain justices of the Supreme Judicial Court (printed in Senate, No. 420); the Senate Bill increasing the salaries of the Justices of the Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts, of judges of the Land Court, and of justices of the municipal court of the city of Boston (Senate, No. 471); the Senate Bill taking the authority to license kennels away from town clerks and in the city of Boston, the police commissioner, and placing it in the local boards of health, and providing that certain kennels be subject to inspection by the State Department of Public Health (Senate, No. 548); the Senate Resolve providing for a study relative to the advisability of having persons licensed to operate motor vehicles submit to physical examinations from time to time (Senate, No. 201); the Senate Order relative to authorizing the committee on Public Service to sit during the recess of the General Court for the purpose of making an investigation and study relative to the salaries of the Director of Civil Service and the Commissioner of Public Health (see Senate, No. 474); the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 335) of Robert P. Cramer for legislation to increase the salaries of the members of the Board of Registration of Barbers; the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 348) of Charles C. Hogan for legislation to increase the salaries of the judge and associate judges of the Land Court; the House Bill relative to children's responsibility for medi-

cal assistance furnished to their aged parents (House, No. 1410); the House Bill relative to widows now receiving less than fifteen hundred dollars under the retirement laws (House, No. 1412, amended); the House Bill requiring school committees to provide transportation to certain physically handicapped children (House, No. 2079); the House Bill including certain parents in the definition of dependents under the law relative to contributory group general or blanket insurance for persons in the service of the Commonwealth (House, No. 2816); the House Bill designating a public highway in the town of Westport the veterans of World War I memorial highway (House, No. 2826); the House Bill authorizing the adoption of rules and regulations by the Department of Public Health for the protection of public health in matters and areas of general concern (House, No. 2972); the House Resolve providing for an investigation and study by a special commission relative to the advisability and feasibility of providing that the Commonwealth reimburse cities and towns for all or part of the extraordinary expense incurred by them for snow removal during the current year (House, No. 2747); the House Resolve providing for an investigation and study by a special commission relative to placing the care and responsibility of all county penal institutions in the Massachusetts correctional system (House, No. 2902); the House Resolve providing for an investigation and study by a special commission relative to the budgetary powers of the trustees of the University of Massachusetts and certain related matters (House, No. 2907); the House Order relative to authorizing the committee on Public Service to sit during the recess of the General Court to study the subject-matter of various Senate and House documents relative to salaries of members of the Public Utilities Commission, the Commissioner and associate commissioners of the Department of Labor and Industries and the members of the Appellate Tax Board (see House, No. 2698); the House Order relative to authorizing the committee on Military Affairs to sit during the recess of the General Court to investigate the subject-matter of various House documents relative to the term of office of officers and colonels in the Air National Guard and relative to veterans' benefits (see House, No. 2738); and the House Order relative to authorizing the committee on State Administration to

sit during the recess of the General Court to study the subject-matter of various current House documents relative to the reorganization of the executive department and the establishing of an executive office for administration and finance (see House, No. 2748), report the accompanying Order (see Senate, No. 588).

For the committee,

WILLIAM D. FLEMING.

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1 *Ordered*, That the joint committee on Ways and Means be  
2 authorized to sit during the recess of the General Court for  
3 the purpose of making an investigation and study relative to  
4 the subject matters of current senate documents numbered  
5 38, 170, 196, 201, 335, 348, 409, 420, 471, 474, and 548, and  
6 current house documents numbered 1410, 1412, 2079, 2698,  
7 2738, 2747, 2784, 2816, 2826, 2902, 2907, and 2972.