

HOUSE No. 2684

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, February 9, 1961.

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1009) of the Massachusetts Trial Lawyers Association that provision be made for the review of judgments in criminal cases upon the common law writ of error coram nobis, report the accompanying resolve (House, No. 2684).

For the committee,

SAMUEL HARMON.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-One.

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION BY THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL RELATIVE TO PROVIDING THAT JUDGMENTS IN CRIMINAL CASES MAY BE REVIEWABLE UPON THE COMMON LAW WRIT OF ERROR CORAM NOBIS.

1 *Resolved,* That the judicial council be requested to investigate
2 the subject matter of current house document numbered 1009,
3 relative to providing that judgments in criminal cases may be
4 reviewable upon the common law writ of error coram nobis, and
5 to include its conclusions and its recommendations, if any, in re-
6 lation thereto, together with drafts of such legislation as may
7 be necessary to give effect to the same, in its annual report for
8 the current year.