

HOUSE No. 7461

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 11, 1973.

The committee on Rules, to whom were referred the Resolutions (filed by Mr. Freeman of Chelmsford) relative to the "Old Chelmsford" Garrison House of Chelmsford being named to the National Register of Historic Places (House, No. 7461), report that the same ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

THOMAS W. McGEE.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

RESOLUTIONS RELATIVE TO THE "OLD CHELMSFORD" GARRISON HOUSE OF CHELMSFORD BEING NAMED TO THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES.

1 *Whereas*, The "Old Chelmsford" Garrison House in the town
2 of Chelmsford has been added to the National Register of
3 Historic Places by the United States Park Service (Department of
4 the Interior); and

5 *Whereas*, The "Old Chelmsford" Garrison House is the oldest
6 authenticated 17th Century building in Chelmsford and the best
7 example of the saltbox style in the town; and.

8 *Whereas*, This building was constructed circa 1690 and was
9 originally owned by Lt. Thomas Adams, an ancestor of the dis-
10 tinguished Adams family of Braintree; and

11 *Whereas*, The "Old Chelmsford" Garrison House is presently
12 owned and managed as a museum and educational center of
13 Colonial history by the "Old Chelmsford" Garrison House Assn.
14 Inc.; therefore be it

15 *Resolved*, That the Massachusetts House of Representatives
16 hereby congratulates the "Old Chelmsford" Garrison House
17 Assn. Inc. on its efforts in having the "Old Chelmsford" Garrison
18 House named to the National Register of Historic Places and
19 extends its best wishes for the future of said association and
20 house; and be it further

21 *Resolved*, That copies of these resolutions be sent by the
22 Secretary of the Commonwealth to the "Old Chelmsford"
23 Garrison House Assn. Inc. and to Charlotte P. DeWolf, President
24 of said Association.

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Adopted.

WALLACE C. MILLS,
Clerk.