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By Mr. Costello of Boston, petition of John W. Costello for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) of the advisability of substituting a new statue of the late David I. Walsh in place of the one erected on the Esplanade on the Charles River in the city of Boston. State Administration.

## The Commonwealth of Wassachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty.

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION BY A SPECIAL COM-MISSION OF THE ADVISABILITY OF SUBSTITUTING A NEW AND CORRECT STATUE TO THE LATE DAVID I. WALSH IN PLACE OF THE ONE ERECTED ON THE ESPLANADE ON THE CHARLES RIVER IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

- 1 Whereas, The great and general court provided for the 2 erection of a memorial to the late beloved David I. Walsh,
- 3 former member of the house of representatives, lieutenant-4 governor, governor and United States senator; and
- 5 Whereas, A statue has been erected on the Esplanade on 6 the Charles river in Boston; and
- 7 Whereas, The statue is not a true likeness of the man whose 8 memory was intended to be perpetuated; therefore be it
- 9 Resolved, That a special commission be established to arrange 10 for the substitution of a statue of appropriate nature, a true 11 likeness of David I. Walsh.
- 12 Said commission shall consist of two members of the senate 13 to be designated by the president thereof, three members of the 14 house of representatives to be designated by the speaker thereof 15 and two persons to be appointed by the governor.
- 16 The said commission may expend for the purpose of this 17 resolve such sums as may be appropriated therefor.