

SENATE . . . . . No. 1678

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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SENATE, October 13, 1976.

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3601) of the Massachusetts Chiefs of Police Association, Inc., relative to increasing the penalty for destruction or injury to a building, reports the accompanying order (Senate, No. 1678).

For the Committee,

ALAN D. SISITSKY

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1 *Ordered*, That the Committee on the Judiciary be author-  
 2 ized to sit during the recess of the general court for the pur-  
 3 pose of making an investigation and study of the subject mat-  
 4 ter of current house document numbered 3601, relative to in-  
 5 creasing the penalty for destruction or injury to a building.  
 6 Said committee shall be provided with quarters in the state  
 7 house or elsewhere, may hold hearings, may travel within the  
 8 commonwealth, and may expend for clerical and other serv-  
 9 ices and expenses such sums as may be appropriated therefore.  
 10 Said committee shall report to the general court the results  
 11 of its investigation and study, and its recommendations, if  
 12 any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry  
 13 such recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the  
 14 clerk of the senate on or before the last Wednesday of De-  
 15 cember, nineteen hundred and seventy-six.