

By Mr. Hodgkins of Lee, petition of Christopher J. Hodgkins for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to training conducted by the Criminal Justice Training Council. Public Service.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety.

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION RELATIVE TO TRAINING CONDUCTED BY THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING COUNCIL.

1 *Resolved*, That a special commission to consist of two  
2 members of the senate, two members of the house of  
3 representatives, and five to be appointed by the governor, one of  
4 whom shall be a chief of police of a town or city, two of whom  
5 shall be a policeman of a town or city, and two of whom shall  
6 be an elected official of a city or town serving in the capacity as  
7 a selectmen, alderman, city councilman or mayor, is hereby  
8 established for the purpose of making an investigation and study  
9 relative to determining the validity of any complaints issued by  
10 a former cadet of the Criminal Justice Training Council arising  
11 from any alleged inappropriate behavior or harmful tactics  
12 employed by the council's trainers or instructors since Jan. 1, 1985  
13 and resulting in the former cadet leaving a training academy of  
14 the council before the completion of a training program.

15 Said commissioner will further study and determine the  
16 conditions under which such former cadets may be reinstated for  
17 eligibility as a policeman or other criminal justice professional.

18 Said commission may also request that officials of the common-  
19 wealth or its various subdivisions provide it with information it  
20 may desire to study.

21 Said commission shall report to the general court the results  
22 of investigation and study and its recommendations, if any,  
23 together with drafts of legislation to carry its recommendations

24 into effect, by filing the same with the clerk of the house of  
 25 representatives on or before the first Wednesday in June, nineteen  
 26 hundred and ninety.