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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 16, 1967.

The committee on Water Resources and Water Supply, to whom was recommitted the special report of the Water Resources Commission (under Chapter 32 of the Resolves of 1961 and most recently continued by Chapter 99 of the Resolves of 1966) relative to the water supply of the Berkshire County region (House, No. 5170), report the accompanying resolve (House, No. 5272).

For the committee,

STEVE T. CHMURA.

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

RESOLVE AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO MAKE AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY RELATIVE TO CERTAIN PROBLEMS OF SMALL PRIVATE WATER UTILITIES.

1 *Resolved*, That the department of public utilities and the  
2 department of public health, acting jointly, are hereby author-  
3 ized and directed to make an investigation and study of the  
4 problems regarding small private water utilities. For the pur-  
5 poses of this resolve a small private water utility shall consist  
6 of those having less than five hundred services. Said depart-  
7 ments may expend for such purposes such sums as may be appro-  
8 priated therefor.

9 Said departments shall report to the general court the results  
10 of their investigation and study, and their recommendations,  
11 if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such  
12 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the clerk  
13 of the house of representatives on or before the last Thursday of  
14 March, nineteen hundred and sixty-eight.