

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 1545

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By Mr. Spence of Hingham, petition of William J. Spence for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to the juvenile delinquency problem in Plymouth County. Social Welfare.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy.

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION OF THE JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PROBLEM IN PLYMOUTH COUNTY, THE CAUSES FOR THE GROWING INCIDENCE OF SUCH PROBLEMS, METHODS OF CONTROL, FACILITIES FOR TREATMENT AND SUCH OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO WHICH IT DEEMS RELEVANT AND PROPER.

1 *Resolved*, That a special commission, to consist of two mem-  
2 bers of the senate, three members of the house of representa-  
3 tives, the commissioner of public welfare or his designee, the  
4 commissioner of public safety or his designee and three per-  
5 sons to be appointed by the governor, one of whom shall be a  
6 pychologist, one of whom shall be a social worker and one of  
7 whom shall be a school administrator, is hereby established  
8 for the purpose of making an investigation and study of the  
9 juvenile delinquency problem in Plymouth county, the causes  
10 for the growing incidence of such problems, methods of con-  
11 trol, facilities for treatment and such other matters relative  
12 thereto which it deems relevant and proper.

