

HOUSE No. 6171

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

House of Representatives, August 20, 1970.

The Committee on Rules, to whom was referred the Order (filed by Messrs. Raposa of Fall River, Driscoll of Fall River, Long of Fall River, Kuss of Fall River and Paquette of Fall River) relative to the appointment of a special committee of the House for the purpose of making an investigation of the water department of the city of Fall River (House, No. 6171), report that the same ought to pass.

For the Committee,

THOMAS W. MCGEE.

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1 *Ordered*, That a special committee to consist of seven members
2 of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the speaker
3 thereof, is hereby established for the purpose of making an
4 investigation of the water department of the city of Fall River.
5 Said committee may sit during the recess of the General Court,
6 shall have quarters in the state house, shall have the power to
7 summons witnesses and to require the production of books,
8 records and papers, and the giving of testimony under oath, may
9 travel within the commonwealth, and may expend for clerical and
10 other services and expenses the sum of fifteen hundred dollars.
11 Said committee shall report to the General Court the results of
12 its investigation, and its recommendations, if any, together with
13 drafts of legislation necessary to carry such recommendations
14 into effect, by filing the same with the clerk of the House of
15 Representatives on or before the last Wednesday of December,
16 nineteen hundred and seventy.