HOUSE No. 5400

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 7, 1988.

The committee on Health Care, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 768) of Denis Lawrence that the Department of Public Health be directed to make an investigation of the causes of a higher than normal rate of cancer in the city of New Bedford, reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 5400) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

JOSEPH B. McINTYRE.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Eight.

1 Ordered, That the committee on Health Care be authorized to 2 sit during the recess of the General Court to make an investigation 3 and study of House document numbered 768, relative to New 4 Bedford cancer rates.

Said committee shall report to the General Court the results of its investigation and study, and its recommendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such

8 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk

9 of the House of Representatives on or before the last Wednesday

10 in December, nineteen hundred and eighty-eight.