

HOUSE No. 5174

Filed by Mr. Bernashe of Chicopee. May 14.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

1 *Ordered*, That the Legislative Research Council be directed
2 to divide the Commonwealth into one hundred and sixty equal
3 sample districts in order that the House of Representatives may
4 indicate to the Commonwealth how such a division of the
5 Commonwealth will affect the inhabitants thereof, and to file
6 the same with the Clerk of the House of Representatives from
7 time to time but not later than December thirty-first, nineteen
8 hundred and sixty-nine.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The Constitution of the United States

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