

HOUSE No. 5391

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 3, 1972.

The committee on Natural Resources and Agriculture, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2861) of Robert H. Quinn (Attorney General), Joseph B. Walsh and Thomas F. Brownell that provision be made for civil forfeitures and criminal fines for air and water pollution, report recommending that the accompanying resolve (House, No. 5391) ought to pass.

For the committee,

STEVE T. CHMURA

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Two.

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION BY THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL RELATIVE TO PROVIDING FOR CIVIL FORFEITURES AND CRIMINAL FINES FOR AIR AND WATER POLLUTION.

1 *Resolved*, That the Judicial Council be requested to investi-
2 gate the subject matter of current House document numbered
3 2861 relative to providing for civil forfeitures and criminal fines
4 for air and water pollution, and to include its conclusions and its
5 recommendations, if any, in relation thereto, together with drafts
6 of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to the same,
7 in its annual report for the current year.