

# HOUSE . . . . No. 2658

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By Mr. Cuffe of Lynn, petition of Walter A. Cuffe for legislation to revive and continue the special commission established to study the problem of providing better protection along the coast line of the Commonwealth against loss of life and property caused by storms. Harbors and Public Lands.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty.

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RESOLVE REVIVING AND CONTINUING THE SPECIAL COMMISSION ESTABLISHED TO STUDY THE PROBLEM OF PROVIDING BETTER PROTECTION ALONG THE COAST LINE OF THE COMMONWEALTH AGAINST LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY CAUSED BY STORMS.

1 *Resolved*, That the unpaid special commission es-  
2 tablished by chapter seventy of the resolves of nine-  
3 teen hundred and forty-six is hereby revived and  
4 continued for the purposes of continuing its study of  
5 the problem of providing better protection along the  
6 coast line of the commonwealth against loss of life  
7 and property caused by storms, with a view to recom-  
8 mending plans for permanent relief against such  
9 losses. Said commonwealth shall be provided with  
10 quarters in the state house or elsewhere, may hold  
11 hearings, may travel within and without the com-  
12 monwealth, and may expend for expert, clerical and  
13 other assistance and for expenses such sums as may  
14 be appropriated therefor. Said commission shall re-  
15 port to the general court the results of its study and

16 its recommendations, if any, together with drafts of  
17 legislation necessary to carry its recommendations into  
18 effect, by filing the same with the clerk of the house  
19 of representatives not later than the first Wednesday  
20 of December in the current year.