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By Mr. McIntyre, a petition of James R. McIntyre that provision be made for an investigation and study by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to the feasibility of establishing regional data processing centers. State Administration.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION RELATIVE TO THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING REGIONAL DATA PROCESSING CENTERS.

1 *Resolved*, That a special commission, consisting of one mem-  
2 ber of the senate, three members of the house of representa-  
3 tives, and two persons to be appointed by the governor, is  
4 hereby established for the purpose of making an investigation  
5 and study of the feasibility of establishing regional data proc-  
6 essing centers for the cities and towns of the commonwealth.  
7 The commissioner of administration is hereby requested to soli-  
8 cit proposals for the selection of a qualified firm to complete  
9 said study. Said study shall include an outline of a proposed  
10 system of centers together with the estimated cost of estab-  
11 lishing and operating a typical regional center. The South  
12 Shore area, so called, which shall include, but not be limited  
13 to the city of Quincy and the towns of Randolph, Weymouth,  
14 Braintree and Hull, shall be designated as the pilot study area  
15 for the establishment of such a regional data processing center.

